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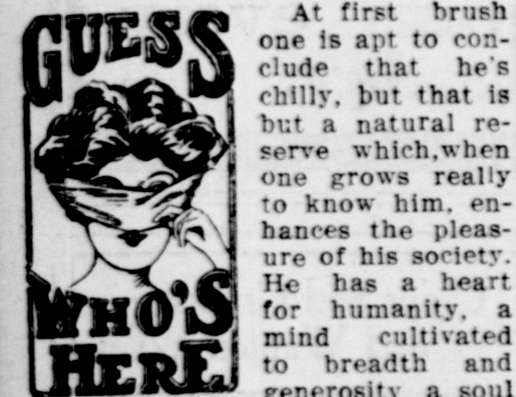
On The Great White Way



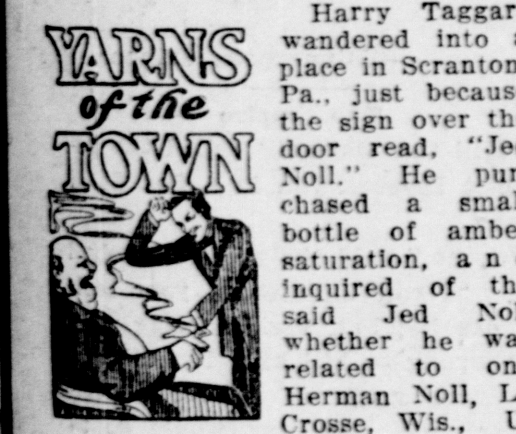
NEAR-NEWS AND CHATTER FOR SATURDAY NIGHT

To the lady first correctly guessing the identity of the person of whom the following is a character sketch, and bringing a copy of this paper to The Tribune office, a cash prize of \$1.00 will be given. The subject of the sketch is a prominent citizen of La Crosse. After winning one prize, a contestant will not be eligible to again compete for a period of three months.

Harry Long was the subject of last week's contest, the winner being Miss Emma Aust, 123 North Fourteenth street.



At first brush one is apt to conclude that he's chilly, but that is but a natural reserve which, when one grows really to know him, enhances the pleasure of his society. He has a heart for humanity, a mind cultivated to breadth and generosity, a soul ambitious to build his own reputation upon endeavors directed to the betterment of his times and his people. He concerns himself with big movements, big problems, and with the important phases of every problem which fate or duty brings him. If he will not wear the harness of detail, he proves his efficiency for detail by associating with him in his great task men who are masters, each in his own specialty. In teaching teachers to teach the young idea how to shoot he makes the target, not the petty problems of today, but the big questions that confront the human kind, and he realizes that no matter what the problem its solution by man depends upon our boys and girls so living and striving that the men and women of each succeeding generation may measure up to the greater task that must confront them. Physically he's tall, well proportioned, straight with a dignity that lacks the stiffness of self-consciousness, tends to blondness, features barely too thin to be classic. His normal expression is one of kindly gravity, his eyes steady and non-committal excepting as moved by genial impulse or brightened by the light of battle. All around, he's a man to reckon on.



Harry Taggart wandered into a place in Scranton, Pa., just because the sign over the door read, "Jed Noll." He purchased a small bottle of amber saturation, and inquired of the said Jed Noll whether he was related to one Herman Noll, La Crosse, Wis., U. S. A?

The said Jed was interested, but he wasn't sure about the kinship business. He thought he'd write Cousin Herman, anyway.

"Let me write him," said Harry, and he did so on the said Jed Noll's business stationery. He laughed over that letter for an hour. Then he showed it to Jed, and they both laughed over it. Then each did the honors and all this and that, and after that Harry mailed the letter, and leaned against the mailbox and laughed until a policeman told him to beat it.

When Harry got home the first thing he heard on the street was how Herman Noll had inherited a fortune. He hastened down to congratulate Herman.

"I guess it's all right," said Mr. Noll. "Can't see no hitch in it. There's the letter."

Mr. Noll tossed Mr. Taggart an envelope, from which he took a letter of which the following is approximately a copy:

"THE ANTHRACITE
"Jed Noll, Prop.
"Scranton, Pa., June 5, 1909.
"Herman Noll, Esq.,
"La Crosse, Wis.
"My Dear Sir:
"I think you are a cousin of mine, and an heir to the estate of the late Ezekiah Noll. Don't get excited, as your share will not be large—a little trifle of about \$57,000. Still, every little bit helps.
"My father had two brothers, Uncle Herman and Uncle Hez. Father was the first to die, and he left me and some debts. Uncle Herman went west and died. He had a son, Herman, but we lost track of him. Uncle Hez never married. He got rich, and he has just died intestate. If you are the son of the brother who went west, you come in with us on the

estate. Write and tell me what to do with the money.
"Your cousin,
"JED NOLL."
"What'd you think of it?" asked Herman.
"Nothing doing," said Harry. "It's a fake on the face of it."
"What makes you so wise?" demanded Herman hotly. "Show me where it's phony."
"Guess I ought to know," smiled Mr. Taggart. "I wrote it."

Ever hear Sam Grant st-t-t-t-t-tutter?
It used to make him hot to hear about it, but not any more. Sam st-t-t-t-t-amers, and then he don't. He's a periodical. Don't bet he'll stutter, for he's apt to fool you.
Jim Jarvis has a funny yarn about how Sam put one over on J. B. Kerrigan, the Norwalk real estate man. Kerrigan likes Sam, and hangs around his place a good deal when in the city. One day he had been traveling about with some friends looking for entertainment, and it finally occurred to him to take them up and let them hear Sam stutter. Sam acknowledged the introductions in the best behaved English possible, and proceeded with the small talk without stut or stam. Things ran on this way until Mr. Kerrigan, thoroughly exasperated, exclaimed:
"Looky here, you curly-haired boob! You tryin' to show me up? I brings these guys in here to ppe you; I tells 'em you got the world beat. Then I buys about four dollars worth of wetness, an' you stands there and don't deliver the goods. Wanta make a monkey of me?"
"How've I got the world beat?" says Sam.
"Stutterin'," says Mr. Kerrigan.

But Sam recalls a better one on himself. He says it reminds him of riding a bicycle and trying to dodge a stone. If the stone is a mere pebble and the road eighty feet wide, says Sam, you can't help hitting the stone, if you try. The harder you try to miss it, the surer will you hit it.
"I had just finished ordering the stuff for this place," said Sam. "It was in Chicago. I rushed into the Union depot to get my ticket. I had eleven minutes to do it in, but there were a number of people in line and more coming. As I crowded into the line a fool thought entered my mind. What if I got to stuttering and couldn't say, 'La Crosse'?"
"Well, I couldn't say it to save me. There was I with my money, and the line showing behind me. The agent got red in the face and ordered me to make way. I had to move on without the ticket.
"Then I said 'La Crosse' to myself. I said it several times, slowly and distinctly. 'La Crosse, La Crosse, La Crosse.' It was dead easy. All I had to do was to say it slowly.
"I got back into line again, but when I reached the window it wouldn't come. 'Say it slowly and distinctly,' I said to myself. But I couldn't say it at all. I got excited and drummed the counter with my knuckles. The agent was raging, and ordered me to get out. The men in the line back of me bailed me out. I thought of a pencil, and searched my pockets in vain for one. 'Say it slowly and distinctly,' said I aloud to myself. The agent turned purple and tried to reach me under the window grating. I got crazy mad at him, at myself, at the world. I pounded the counter and roared the road and the agent, but I couldn't say 'La Crosse.' The agent called a depot copper to move me. I moved out just ahead of him, and my train moved out just ahead of me. I actually was left in Chicago because I couldn't say 'La Crosse' in eleven minutes."

Sam had told the yarn without the sign of a stammer. Everybody laughed, Sam with the heartiest of them. Then Jim Jarvis said:
"Funny, how you used to stutter, Sam. You don't anymore, do you?"
"Not m-m-m-m-m-m-much," said Sam.

"Hello, Rollin' Billow!" The White Way editor met him in Minneapolis Monday, and hurled it at him "cold turkey."
"Such is fame!" said the man. "Yesterday I met John Thornbury right in this hotel, and although I hadn't seen him for three years he called me 'Rollin' Billow.' Now you break a similar silence of three years with the same
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ASSAULT CASE IS LOST; ALLEN TO SUE FOR \$20,000

"Professor" Declares He Will Sue Wife's Family for Alienation of Her Affections

RIVAL OF EVELYN A. SEE

Testimony in Case Brought by Allen Sensational; Says He Has Been Arrested 100 Times

KEPT THE GIRLS WITH HIM

Sisters, Children of Wealthy Farmer, Traveled State with "Doctor," He Says on Stand

Although "Professor" Robert Allen lost his case against Henry P. Peufahl, his brother-in-law, yesterday, the jury declaring the defendant not guilty, he followed the announcement of the verdict with the statement that he will institute a suit for \$20,000 damages against several relatives of his wife for

Dr. Charles Lahn, business partner of Dr. Allen, pleaded guilty to a charge of drunk and disorderly, before Judge Edward Cronan in police court this morning and was fined \$10 and costs. According to Detectives McGrath and Fitzsimmons, Dr. Lahn, his wife and Dr. Allen were walking up Pearl street from the direction of the river last evening when a violent quarrel broke out among the trio. Dr. Lahn, according to the testimony of the police, attracted the attention of passersby by his swearing at his wife and partner. When arrested in court he pleaded not guilty but soon after changed his plea to guilty. Dr. O. Ellis is the third member of the partnership, Allen, Lahn & Ellis.

alienation of his wife's affections. He said that he will bring the suit against Henry Peufahl, her brother; William Peufahl, another brother; Mrs. Minnie Peufahl, mother; Hiram Rose, a prominent merchant of Tomah and a brother-in-law to the girl.

Arrested 100 Times
"Do you know who I am? I am Professor Allen. You have heard of me. I have been arrested more than 100 times and if you will come over to court this afternoon you will hear some of the hottest testimony that was ever given in La Crosse." This was the startling announcement of a well dressed stranger who walked into The Tribune office yesterday. His prediction about the testimony was true in the extreme. The story that cropped out in the simple assault and battery case that Allen brought against his alleged brother-in-law, Henry Peufahl of Reedsburg, would make the reader who drowsed over the story of Evelyn Arthur See and his "New Thought" cult in Chicago sit up with a gasp.

Allen brought suit against Henry Peufahl in county court yesterday afternoon on an assault and battery charge. He alleged that Peufahl had opposed his marriage to his sister Verdina and failing in that came to La Crosse last Tuesday in an attempt to get her and his other sister Martha, who was staying with him and his wife, to return to the home near Reedsburg. He testified that Peufahl used force in trying to get Martha to leave the Grand Hotel, where she was staying. He said that the girl and her sister, his wife, finally left with their brother and went back to the farm home, where they stayed until subpoenaed to appear at this trial.

Married to Allen
Doctor or Professor Allen, Martha, Verdina and Henry Peufahl and Under Sheriff Louis Omerberg testified, Verdina saying that she had gone through a marriage ceremony with Dr. Allen in St. Paul last May. She admitted that she had been with Allen in Madison before that time. She declared that she would never live with Allen again and that she had done so hitherto against her will. She said that she had a good home at Reedsburg and her brother and parents had always been kind to her.

Verdina gave her age as 21 and her sister as 23. The girls present a marked contrast, the alleged wife of the "professor" being small and unexcitedly at the trial she testified with a smile that displayed a flashing set of teeth. She hung her head in sober silence when the attorneys questioned her about her following Allen to Madison and other towns.
Martha is larger than her sister and is a pretty brunette. She was barely able to keep back the tears when she was placed on the stand. She refused to face the jury, turning her head the other way while she was being questioned. She said that
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Men and Women Vote On Smoking

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 1.—A novel election is in progress in Kansas City today in that both women and men are voting as to whether the men shall be permitted to smoke on the street cars. A year ago the Metropolitan Street railway and the city prohibited smoking on the cars by an ordinance. Recently the city council ruled that the men could smoke on the rear platform and in the last three seats. The Metropolitan contends that this permit is not legal and put the question up to the patrons. Two ballot boxes are carried on all cars, and the voting will go for a week. The Metropolitan will accept the ruling of the voters.

CUBAN REVOLT IS LOSING PRESTIGE

Rebellion of Blacks Is Now Believed but Thievery of Few Bands of Bandits
NO DAMAGE HAS BEEN DONE

Official Reports Show but Slight Trouble and Intervention Is Unlikely

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Gradually the suspicion is dawning on state department officials that the Cuban rebellion may not be nearly so serious as it sounds. The shock of armed collision between federal and rebels which was so confidently forecasted a few days ago by Uncle Sam's diplomatic corps in Cuba, has not occurred and in practically all consular dispatches to the department today there was a note of bewilderment. All that was reported was a considerable amount of thieving by gangs in the troubled eastern end of the island.

For a war as well "press agent" as the Cuban uprising, surprisingly little damage has been done, now that the official reports are being checked over. A few thatch buildings have been burned, fire has turned a few tons of sugar to carbon and there has been some petty larceny.

Official reports of a blood thirsty horde of negroes laying waste the sugar plantations caused Uncle Sam to act with a firm hand and send to the Antilles a fighting force sufficient to raise the island. The total rebel force has greatly dwindled in recent official reports.

Now the fleet swings idly on its anchors in Key West harbor, and state department officials today admitted that there is little likelihood of the warships getting into action.

LOVE AFFAIR IS CAUSE OF MURDER

Woman and Rival Are Dead; Act Alleged that of a Jealous Suitor

SEATTLE, Wash., June 1.—Charged with murdering Mrs. Effie Lanson, 45, and George Felton, 26, as the result of a quarrel over the woman's affections, Joseph Miller, 35, is in jail today. He refuses to discuss the killing, except to assert that the two victims had attempted to poison him.
Mrs. Lanson was the proprietress of two lodging houses. She was found dead last night locked in a room in one of her hotels. Miller was employed by Mrs. Lanson in her other hotel, while Felton was a lodger. Yesterday Felton gave up his room and left the hotel after a quarrel with Miller. Late last night he returned for a package of laundry. Miller appeared with a revolver and fired three bullets into his enemy's body.

Public Offices Close
Today being the first Saturday in June all the offices in the city hall and court house closed at 1 o'clock. According to the established custom they will close every Saturday afternoon until September.

DRESBACH AND DAKOTA APPEAL TO CONGRESS

Ask National Legislature to Take Their Harbor Over Heads of War Department

CRITICISE OFFICIAL REPORT

Declare that It Was Made by the Official Whom They Hold Responsible for Trouble

J. E. LANGDON IS CHAIRMAN

La Crosse Man Presides Over Meeting in Which Controversy Is Appealed to Congress

At a mass meeting held at Dresbach on Thursday the people of that village and of Dakota made a direct appeal to congress to investigate the action of the war department in diverting the channel of the Mississippi from the Minnesota shore, and in causing as a consequence the accumulation of sandbars where the harbors of these villages were formerly located. The proceedings at that meeting, of which J. E. Langdon of La Crosse was chairman, are best told by the minutes of the meeting, which are as follows:

Meeting Called
"Mass meeting held at Woodman hall at Dakota, Minn., May 30, 1912."

"The following call was read by Mr. John Nichols, chairman of supervisors, Dresbach township:
"All citizens who are in favor of genuine improvements looking to the greatest utility of the Mississippi river in the future are requested to assemble in mass meeting at Woodman hall, in the village of Dakota, Minn., on Thursday, May 30, 1912, at 1:30 o'clock p. m."

"J. E. Langdon, La Crosse, Wis., was elected chairman, John Donehower, Dakota, Minn., secretary."

"The following resolutions by Mr. Remp, Dresbach, Minn., were offered, and upon motion adopted unanimously:
"Whereas, in the course of so-called river improvements the war department, under immediate charge of U. S. Assistant Engineer W. A. Thompson, has diverted the navigable channel of the Mississippi river from the rockbound shore of township No. 105 north, range 4 west, thereby depriving said township, including the villages of Dakota and Dresbach, of every steamboat landing which could be approached by wagon, besides creating an immense sandbar in front of the former named village, and causing the loss of many acres of meadow land on the Wisconsin shore, also leading the channel five times across the river, when formerly a straight run down the Minnesota shore was the custom of steamboats, and

"Whereas, in 1906, the war department was petitioned by a citizen of the village of Dresbach, who desired to revive a suspended industry, to remove the closing dam out of Dresbach slough and the long wing dams at either end, said petition being finally referred to Mr. Thompson and on his report denied, and

"Whereas, a second petition, dated December 26, 1911, signed by practically all the citizens directly interested in this part of the Mississippi river, asking for the removal of the obstructions to navigation down this shore, restoring to us our former state, and which, profiting by the knowledge of the course the first mentioned petition took, asked the secretary of war for an investigation of the conditions here existing and the methods employed in the correction of the channel, took the same course as the former petition, with the addition from the Chief of Engineers that 'no investigation is necessary,' and

"Whereas, from the foregoing and other facts too lengthy to state, it seems evident that anything that U. S. Assistant Engineer W. A. Thompson may undertake to do will be sanctioned by his superiors without question, even to offering us, as a favor, a few hundred feet of loose sand pumped toward shore, as an equivalent of six miles of rockbound shore, therefore be it

"Resolved, by the undersigned citizens in mass meeting assembled, that while we realize river business has declined with us, we also realize that the same conditions exist everywhere on the upper Mississippi, and that all the present steamboat interests here could be bought for less than one year's appropriation for improvements on this part of the river, and be it further

"Resolved, that we condemn as un-American the arbitrary manner of Mr. W. A. Thompson and the handling of our petition by his superiors, and emphatically object to any pumping of sand toward the Dakota or Dresbach shore under any pretense, and be it further
"Resolved, that while an investigation and justice has been denied us by the war department upon the
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Choose Woman For Seat On the Bench

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 1.—Miss Mary Barteleme, suffragette, former school teacher, lawyer and public guardian of Cook county, Ill., now in St. Louis visiting her sister, today received notice that she will be appointed assistant judge of the Chicago juvenile court when she returns there Monday. Miss Barteleme said she would accept. The appointment gives her the distinction of being the first woman in Illinois to hold an important judicial position.
Miss Barteleme says young women brought into juvenile court have not been dealt with in proper manner because they are unable to present their cases in detail.

DEATH SUSPENDS DARROW TRIAL

Judge McNutt, Defense Counsel, Dies and Case Adjourns Until Monday

FAKE EVIDENCE IS ALLEGED

Declare the Testimony of Franklin Against Attorney Was Manufactured

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 1.—On account of the death of Judge Clyde McNutt of counsel for the defense, Judge Hutton announced when the Darrow bribery trial was resumed today that he had granted the defense's request to adjourn until Monday.

When Monday's session starts, Attorney Earl Rogers, chief defense attorney, will begin in earnest his cross examination of Bert H. Franklin, start witness for the state. He began this cross examination yesterday before adjournment.

Rogers devoted special attention to Franklin's statement on the stand yesterday that Darrow had offered to pay his fine and give him \$3,000 in cash besides, if he would plead guilty bribing prospective juror George N. Lockwood and would "say nothing." Rogers contends that this statement by Franklin is manufactured evidence. The same is true, he declares, of Franklin's other statement made yesterday that Job Harriman, erstwhile socialist candidate for mayor of Los Angeles, furnished the money which, he alleges, Darrow gave him to bribe Lockwood.

CITY HALTS FOR WRIGHT FUNERAL

Father of Aviation Shown Deep Respect by His Native City This Afternoon

DAYTON, Ohio, June 1.—Commercial and industrial activities of this city were halted for fifteen minutes this afternoon during the funeral of Wilbur Wright, as a mark of respect to the dead aviator who contributed much to Dayton's fame.

Traffic on steam and electric roads was halted for five minutes and all church bells in the city were tolled. While the body lay in state from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m., in the First Presbyterian church, thousands of persons from Dayton and the entire Miami valley paid their final tribute to the beloved inventor.

The service was conducted by the Rev. Maurice Wilson, pastor of the church. The interment was made in Woodland cemetery.
Floral designs ordered by friends from all over the United States and Europe banked the casket.

DENIES CONVENTION REPORT

Frank Dockendorf, La Crosse, a member of the executive board of the Federation of German Catholic Benevolent societies, arrived home yesterday from Appleton, where the annual convention was held. He was much incensed over a story sent out by correspondents in Appleton to the effect that the convention had attacked saloon keepers of that city. The incident that gave rise to the misleading story according to Mr. Dockendorf, was the action taken by the convention remonstrating with a keeper of a tough dance hall for using the name of the federation in connection with a dance he gave while the convention was in session.

CHIHUAHUA UNRULY

EL PASO, Texas, June 1.—Anarchy is ready to break loose in the city of Chihuahua, according to many of the 300 foreign refugees, who arrived here on the special train, demanded for them by American consul Marion Letcher.

ONE VOTE SHORT OF BONDING CITY ON TEST BALLOT

Test Vote in Council Last Night Shows that Water Plant May Be Delayed

BUILD WITHOUT RESERVOIR

Committee to Consider the Question of Postponing Reservoir on Bluff to Lower Cost

MAY REDALL MR. MALTEBY

Several Aldermen Propose to Build Plant by the Revised Maltby Plans

By a test vote at the special meeting of the council held last night to consider Alvord and Burdick's propositions regarding the installation of a water plant, it was found that the friends of the well system plan are one vote short of the two-thirds required to bond the city for the additional \$150,000 deemed necessary for the building of the pumping station and reservoir. Alderman Kohn, Neumann, F. G. Roth, Schneberger and Torrance answered "no" at the roll call, all others favoring the bonds except Alderman H. J. Roth who was not present at last night's meeting.

For more than two hours the aldermen debated the question of the water plant and bonding the city nearly every member of the council stating his position on the question and his reasons for his stand. The debate finally grew heated until bitter charges were made by some of the members against whom they termed "obstructionists" or those who are opposing the installation of the plant ordered by the state railroad commission. The climax was reached when Alderman Roellig took the floor and scored the opposition in the following language:

"Gentlemen, the common council has become the laughing stock of the city. We have quarreled and argued this matter for more than a year and we are no closer to a solution than we were when we began. One man on the board of public works is holding up the installation of the water plant because he favors the river system. In my opinion he knows very little about the water question. He has not advanced one reason for his opposition to the well system and I want to know why he is opposing it."

Dengler Appeals for Harmony
Mayor Dengler followed Alderman Roellig with an appeal for harmony. He said that he regretted that so much feeling had been engendered and urged the referring of the whole question back to the special water committee.

Alderman P. W. Mahoney offered a resolution that the special water committee be instructed to ask Alvord and Burdick to draw plans and specifications on a water plant without a reservoir.
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WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Sunday; cooler tonight.
For Wisconsin: Generally fair tonight and Sunday, except showers and thunderstorms east portion tonight; cooler tonight.
For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature.
For Iowa: Cloudy tonight with showers east portion and cooler extreme east portion; Sunday fair and warmer.

Weather Conditions
A shallow depression over Iowa has caused light showers and thunderstorms from northern Texas to southwestern Wisconsin. Showers have also occurred in the New England states and Florida. The temperature has risen generally east of the Mississippi valley and also west of the Rocky mountains while it is somewhat cooler throughout the plains states.

The pressure is moderately high over the middle and south Atlantic states and from the Pacific coast eastward into Kansas and Nebraska. It is relatively low from Texas to the upper lake region and over Manitoba and Saskatchewan.
Light showers are probable in this section today followed by generally fair weather tonight and Sunday with lower temperature tonight.

River		24-Hour	
Stations.	Flood Stage.	Height.	Change.
St. Paul	14	5.8 -0.3
Red Wing	14	7.0 0.0
Reeds Landing	12	6.8 -1-0.1
La Crosse	12	8.2 0.0
St. Louis	30	18.4 -0-6

River Forecast
The river will not change materially during the next 48 hours.

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AFTER THE TAP LINE RAILROADS

The present interstate commerce commission is a good body. One of its recent rulings applies to so-called tap-line railroads. These are the little stub-end lines owned generally by some industry, such as a lumber company or manufacturing concern. It has been the practice to claim them as adjuncts to the private industry exempt from any government authority over common carriers. Then it has been the custom to apportion "earnings" to such tap-line roads, by which practice railroads have been enabled to give certain favored concerns lower rates. They make a rate which includes the tap-line and the trunk line and pay over a certain amount of money to the tap-line company for supposed services. These payments amount to rebates. The commission has been looking into this subject and has just ruled that thirty-six of these lines are really common carriers. The commission is on the trail of a number of others. A supplementary report is soon to be published which will determine their real character.

Two thousand two hundred and eight industrial lines have been investigated; 611 were incorporated railroads, and 1,597 were operated directly by the owning industrial companies. Of the whole number, 459 were found to be receiving allowances from the public carriers and some 363 derived earnings from local service, while 1,395 derived no revenue from operation. Those interested in these concerns are making a hard fight to set aside the ruling of the commission and get the matter before the commerce court, but the soundness of the commission's position ought to be secure against assault of this nature.

THE POSSIBILITY OF POTATO BLIGHT

The recent importation of potatoes has given rise to apprehension regarding the possible results to the domestic product. For some years a strange blight has affected the tubers of the old world. The disease, due to a fungus, has been remarkably destructive in some parts of continental Europe and recently has spread to Great Britain, being most prevalent in Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Within a short time this potato blight has developed in Newfoundland, that country being a large raiser of potatoes, quantities of which are shipped to Canada.

The danger to the United States is apparent and the warning sent out by the department of agriculture at Washington is timely. The United States has produced 375,000,000 bushels of potatoes annually, although there was a reduction in the output last year. In normal seasons the potato crop ranks sixth in value among the products of American farms, being exceeded only by corn,

cotton, hay, wheat and oats. In 1911 there was a falling off, and in consequence of the short crop, there has been recourse to foreign sources of supply. With potatoes coming from abroad the fear that tubers grown here will be affected by the blight has a tangible basis. While imports may not be large or long continued, owing to the duty imposed and to the stimulus that will be given home production as a result of the high prices recently prevailing, there will be still opportunity for mischief should the potato disease get a foothold in the United States and spread as such infectious ailments have a way of doing.

This country has had costly experience with pests that come from elsewhere, including the gypsy and other moths which ravaged New England and other sections, the cotton boll weevil and the scale insects causing destruction to fruit trees. The losses due to these unwelcome guests have aggregated many millions of dollars. Importation of a potato plague working incalculable injury to one of our most valuable crops would be a national calamity. Every possible means of exclusion and prevention should be employed.

ONE CERTAINTY IN STATE POLITICS

While the attention of the country is riveted on the coming national conventions state and county politics are receiving comparatively little attention, nor will they get the stage until the eternal questions revolving about "T. R." and "The Commoner" are settled for four years more.

Of the new candidates who will seek places on the state ticket, but one is a certainty—Walter C. Owen for attorney general. This office is the only one now held by a standpatter, and the substitution of a progressive is a foregone conclusion. Senator Owen's hat is in the ring, and while there may be other candidates, his nomination is regarded as a foregone conclusion.

Indeed, the progressives of Wisconsin could not with good grace refuse Senator Owen's nomination for any office to which he aspires. The cause made famous by the work of Senator La Follette has had no abler or more tireless advocate than "Walt" Owen, as he is familiarly called. He has given to it his time and his brains, working for years faithfully and intelligently, his only remuneration that satisfaction which attends the successful championship of a righteous cause. He has been repeatedly urged to seek nomination for remunerative offices, but he has heretofore steadfastly declined, declaring that progressive legislation conceived but not consummated should have his attention until a number of important issues were decided.

At last Senator Owen finds that enough has been done to justify his relinquishment of his seat in the legislature, and he asks that he be made the party's candidate for attorney general. He was peculiarly fortunate in his selection of an office, for the state has no better lawyers. Enjoying the advantages of long experience, equipped with scholarly knowledge of the meaning and purposes of that legislation which has marked the past decade in the state, he will bring to the office of attorney general an unusual degree of efficiency. The Tribune contemplates with assurance and pleasure his nomination and election.

New York will have a safe and sane Fourth this year. Evidently neither the colonel or Mr. Taft will speak there on that day.

Black straw hats for men will be the style this summer. They ought to be popular in Pittsburg.

CLARK WINS RHODE ISLAND

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 1.—Practically complete returns today from the first democratic state wide primaries held yesterday give Clark all of the ten delegates to the Baltimore convention. The result was a big surprise. Clark carried every city in the state. Today's returns give Clark 5,712; Wilson 1,530; Harmon 728.

AKRON TAKES AIR

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 1.—With passengers aboard, Melville Vaniman Monday made a successful trial flight in his dirigible Akron today. He ascended at 6:50 a. m. and after attaining a height of about a thousand feet, cruised about for an hour. The airship was returned to its hanger at 7:45 o'clock.

LAUNCH SPEED BOATS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 1.—Two speed boats will be launched tomorrow at the Oriole club on the Sangamon river, and both are expected to make a big showing in the races July 4. The first is a new hydroplane, owned by Dr. O'Hara, holder of the club's record. The second is a cross on hydroplane and a catamaran.

The Yellow Letter

A FASCINATING
MYSTERY STORY.

BY WILLIAM
JOHNSTON.

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"Come, Miss Farrish," said Crandall. "I think it time I was starting home with you, if you feel able to travel. I have run the car up just outside the cottage. I think we can safely leave the completion of our mission to the inspector and Mr. Kent."

"I wish Mr. Kent was coming back with us," said Louise in a sweetly plaintive tone that made me long to gratify her wish.

"I need him here," said the inspector almost roughly.

"And that comes first for all of us," she said bravely, as I helped her to the car.

Whether or not Crandall knew our relations I do not know, but he considerably busied himself with the engine for a few minutes, leaving it to me to make Louise comfortable with blankets and cushions on the rear seat, and enabling us to have a few brief words of parting alone.

I watched the automobile out of sight and then turned back into the cottage, where I found the constable stretched on the floor, already fast asleep. Davis, sitting on the floor before some smoldering logs that had been placed in a rudely-constructed open fireplace, seemed wrapped in thought and did not even look up when I entered.

Nevertheless, I seated myself on the floor beside him and, placing my hand on his shoulder, I said once more: "And now I want to know all about it."

"Shut up," he said, savagely shaking off my hand. "Can't you see I want to think?"

Rebuffed and amazed by his rudeness, I sprang to my feet, to get a new surprise as, in tones as courteous as his others had been rude, he said: "If I were you, Harding, I'd follow the constable's example and try to get some sleep. You and I have a hard day ahead of us tomorrow."

Seeing that he was in no mood to be questioned, I smothered back the many things I wanted to ask him and stretched myself on the floor, not to sleep, but to ponder. As I reviewed the amazing events of today, of yesterday, of the day before, it seemed as if ages and ages—grim, mystifying, terrifying ages—had passed since that hour when I left my office light-heartedly to call on Louise Farrish.

What new terror could tomorrow hold?

CHAPTER XIV. The Inspector Explains.

Thump, thump, thump! I had not thought slumber possible for me, and yet I must have slept. My bewildered senses, dazed by a sudden recall to activity, took subconscious cognizance of a regular, persistent pounding and eventually succeeded in stirring me to attention. I suddenly sat up and looked about me. I found myself in the deserted cottage, the drug slave still motionless on his couch and the logs still smoldering in the fireplace.

That thumping—I quickly saw where it came from. Davis was standing over the sleeping form of Dodds, the constable, engaged in the work of awakening him by the park policeman's method—kicking him on the soles of his shoes.

The process was successful. The constable snorted, drew up his legs, rubbed his eyes and sprang to his feet.

"It will be daylight in half an

hour," I heard Davis tell him. "I want you to go and get the buckboard and drive around to where Rouser's body lies. Bring me any papers you find in his pockets. Leave his money and his watch and keys, so as not to arouse any suspicion of robbery. As soon as you have done that I want you to drive back and pick up the body before any one else finds it. Drive with it to Millvale and leave it there. Don't talk too much. Tell everybody that you found the body at the foot of the precipice and impress on them that it must have been an accident in the way you get away, come back here. Make sure, though, that nobody follows you."

As soon as the constable had gone, Davis lit a cigarette, turned up his coat collar and took a seat on a rough bench just outside the door.

"Come on out here, Harding, and watch the sun rise," he called to me.

I rose hastily from where I had been sitting gazing stupidly about me and joined him on the bench. "There was something you wanted to ask me, wasn't there?" he said pleasantly.

"There were so many things I wanted to ask him I hardly knew where to begin, but the first thing I blurted out was:

"Is Hugh Crandall guilty?" "He's guilty only of being in love with Katharine Farrish against her father's wishes," he replied.

"But surely," I said doggedly, "he has some connection with the crime of the yellow letters. He knew Young. He knew where to find him. There are many things about his actions that to my mind call for explanation."

"Did you notice his eyes?" asked Davis. It was still too dark for me to see the inspector's face, but I felt sure that he was laughing at me. He made me feel that way all too often.

"I didn't," I answered rather crossly, "but what's that got to do with it?"

"I'm afraid, Kent, as I have said before, you will never make a good detective. You are entirely too unobservant of important details. Do you recall my asking early in our investigation whether or not Crandall had blue eyes?"

"Yes," I grudgingly admitted, "I

recall it."

"As soon as I discovered that Crandall had blue eyes that eliminated him as the probable criminal."

"I don't see your logic."

"I've told you before," said Davis, after a pause long enough to permit him to light another cigarette, "that there are classes of crime and types of criminals, each strongly marked after its own sort. I saw right at the start that this crime was of the hidden sort, of the kind that includes conspiracy, blackmail, secret plotting—the kind that requires a skillful sneak. You never in your life found a blue-eyed sneak. There are lots of blue-eyed desperadoes and burglars. Most of the notorious bad men of the West were blue-eyed, but you don't find a man with blue eyes shooting or stabbing a man in the back or kidnapping a child or writing blackmailing letters."

(To be Continued)

DIXON INSULTING SAYS CHAIRMAN NEW

CHICAGO, June 1.—Colonel Harry S. New, chairman of the sub-committee on arrangements of the republican national committee, this afternoon issued a statement in which he flung a hot denial at Senator Dixon, Roosevelt's campaign manager, of a charge that he had refused 250 tickets to the national convention to the colonel through personal spite.

He declared that Roosevelt received the same treatment in his demand for tickets that was accorded Taft. It is against custom, according to New, for campaign managers of candidates to receive tickets owing to their position, and he declares Dixon's demand and subsequent anger when he was refused amount to an insult.

GET GOODS ON GRAFT ALDERMEN

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 1.—Detectives who have been instrumental in uncovering Atlantic City's latest graft scandal declared today that they "had the goods" on four councilmen in addition to the four that confessed last night and that when the entire plot was uncovered many

well known politicians would be involved. The four members of the council, who have admitted that they solicited and accepted graft money, in connection with a proposed concrete walk to take the place of the famous board walk, are expected to resign. Whether they are to be arrested, is not known. Attorney General Wilson will decide whether the criminal proceedings will be begun.

BOMBS IN FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 1.—Three bomb explosions that caused a semi-panic in sporting circles just before midnight were under investigation by the police today. They are of the opinion that the gamblers' fight has been transferred from Chicago to this city. The two saloons attacked were badly damaged, but no one was hurt.



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CONTINENTAL
HENRY N. BOEHM, MANAGER

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\$2.50 Lace Curtains at per pair	\$1.85
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\$1.50 Lace Curtains at per pair	\$1.00
\$40.00 best Wilton Velvet Rug, 9x12	\$34.00
\$35.00 Shuttleworth Wilton Rug, 9x12	\$29.75
\$28.00 Body Brussels Rug, 9x12	\$25.80
\$25.00 Body Brussels Rug, 9x12	\$20.00
\$27.00 Axminster Rug, 9x12	\$22.95
\$22.00 Axminster Rug	\$18.70
\$20.00 Velvet Rug	\$17.00
\$25.00 Seamless Velvet Rug	\$20.00
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RUSHFORD, MINN.

Mrs. F. Dieter, who has been the guest of her mother and sister, Mrs. Hugh Lampman and Miss Elsie Lampman, returned to her home in Manitowish, this state, last Tuesday. Mrs. Dieter was formerly Miss Carrie Lampman.

Mr. L. A. Gullickson was a La Crosse visitor last Tuesday.

Albert Ronneberg who has been visiting friends in Austin, is again home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gynther Overland drove down from Bratsberg last

Wednesday for a brief visit to Mrs. Overland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Streator.

Dr. Fred Stocking, who has been studying in Vienna the past year, has with his wife, returned. The genial doctor has been renewing friendships here for a few days and Mrs. Stocking, who stopped at her parent's home in Indiana, is expected here for a visit shortly.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson of Winona, is in the city looking after her business interests here.

A mass meeting called at the Elite Theater last Monday evening, drew a fair sized audience. The object of the meeting was to discuss ways and means of destroying the flies, the carriers of much disease and filth. It was decided to divide the city into districts, each of which will be overseen by a person named by a committee of three, this committee and the subcommittee to be under the jurisdiction of the city board of health. It will be their business to see that garbage cans are kept de-

North Side

LIGHTNING RODS PART OF SWINDLE

Farmers in Wisconsin and Minnesota Duped by Storm Protector Crooks

The Tribune has been asked to warn rural inhabitants of the surrounding territory of an ingenious swindler who is said to be working with nearly uniform success among the farmers in Wisconsin and Minnesota around La Crosse.

The scheme is worked under the guise of an advertising deal. Representing himself as having the agency for several counties, and asking the farmer to help him in that district, the alleged agent gives sufficient rods to the farmer to cover his own buildings, a small charge of a few dollars being made for extra. Even the ornaments are thrown in free, supposedly although are never furnished.

The farmer is then talked into signing a contract, which it is explained is merely to protect the supposed agent, to show that he has really given the rod away for advertising purposes.

Within the next day or two another man arrives on the scene to put up the rod. He hands the victim a copy of the contract, pointing out the catch clause, which provides that the points and braces are to cost seventy-five cents a foot. As the farmer is usually written up for from five to ten points, each point at the rate of \$30, he finds himself held up for from \$150 to \$300.

Settlement is usually effected through a threat of legal procedure, the victim paying cash or giving his note in order not to incur further expense. He is allowed a little reduction from the original figure. The swindlers dare not face the law, but they usually get away with the bluff. If the farmer gives notes, he is allowed a slight discount if they are taken up within a specified time.

There are a few instances on record where agriculturists have turned the tables on the thieves by allowing them to rod the building, promising to pay cash when the job is finished, and then ordering the swindlers off the farm when the job is completed.

cently, chicken pens clean, stables in sanitary condition and drains, cesspools and the like in the right condition. The mode of warfare will doubtless cause some trouble among the more ignorant and careless people, but if each family will give their hearty and earnest co-operation the matter will be much simplified and no trouble caused to anyone. We must "swat the fly" or in turn, be "swatted" by disease, it's up to us to decide which it will be. At the meeting Monday evening, Mr. Cox, of our city schools, gave some very useful and practical suggestions as to the mode of fighting both flies and mosquitoes, which if followed, would prove most effective.

There will be given at the Elite Theater next Friday evening a practical talk upon the care of fruit trees and in the forenoon at 10:00 the gentleman will give a practical illustration of his methods of pruning and grafting in Mr. D. J. Tew's orchard upon the north side of Magleeson's bluff. A well known authority upon the subject will deliver the lectures.

Professor Lambert was called to the home of his parents last Wednesday by the sudden and serious illness of his father. The third number in the series of band concerts was to have been given Wednesday evening instead of Friday, the usual time, on account of the commencement exercises being held the latter evening, but on account of Mr. Lambert's absence from the city, the concert was postponed to a date to be announced later.

Mrs. Bain, a well known and highly respected resident of Fremont, died this week after a very short illness. It is thought that Rev. Geo. Stanley, former pastor of the Rushford and Fremont churches, but now of Bloomington, will have charge of the funeral services.

Mrs. West, who with her daughter, Mabel, has been in California for several months, is expected in Rushford on a visit this week.

Miss Olive Tagland, a nurse in the Lutheran Hospital of La Crosse, is expected home this week on a two-weeks' vacation. Miss Alice Kjos, who is also a nurse at the same hospital, is to come home for a visit soon. Both are Rushford young ladies who have undoubtedly made good in their chosen profession.

Mrs. Carl Alm and two children expect to leave in a few days for Park River, N. D., to join Mr. Alm who has a position in a newspaper office there.

W. McCormick and family of Vinegar Hill were guests of Mrs. John Culhane last Monday.

Noble Practice.
Let us all resolve—first, to attain the grace of silence; second, to deem all fault-finding that does no good a sin; third, to practice the grace and virtue of praise.—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

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Norwegian M. E.
Norwegian M. E. church, corner of Berlin and Sill streets. I. T. Slaatte, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All cordially invited.

German M. E.
German M. E. church, corner Clinton and Berlin streets. Rev. W. J. Witter, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; preaching at 10:30; Epworth league at 7:15 p. m.; prayer service at 7:45; prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45.

Caledonia St. Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30—"The Crowned Glory in Life." Anthem, "Your Flag and Mine." Evening worship, 7:45—"The Source of Power." Anthem, "I was Glad." The pastor will preach at both services. Sabbath school at noon. Epworth league at 6:45. Midweek service, Wednesday, 7:45.

Trinity Lutheran
Trinity United Lutheran church, on Avon street, Rev. L. S. Marvick, pastor. Services Sunday morning at 10:15. English service in the evening at 7:15. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Tabernacle Baptist Church
Tabernacle Baptist church, corner Avon and Clinton streets. Rev. R. E. Cody, acting pastor. Morning service at 10:45. Sunday school at 12 noon. B. Y. P. U. at 7:15 p. m.

Norwegian Bethel Lutheran
Norwegian Bethel Lutheran church, corner of George and Sill streets. Rev. O. L. Christensen, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. evening at 7:45; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Norwegian Lutheran
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Sill streets. Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. Morning services, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

North Presbyterian
North Presbyterian church, corner Avon and Logan streets. Rev. Finch A. Clarke, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30 and evening service at 7:45 sharp. The pastor will preach at both services. An excellent young people's choir will sing. All who do not attend any other church are invited to make this their church home. Sunday school at 12 m.; Young People's meeting at 7 sharp; regular monthly meeting of the Men's league Monday evening in the church parlors. Next Sunday morning the annual memorial service of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will be held in this church.

Scandinavian Baptist
The Scandinavian Baptist church, corner of Charles and Logan streets. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m., E. A. Fors Supt. Evening services, 7:30 p. m. All Scandinavians are cordially welcomed to all of our meetings. Iver Larsen, pastor.

Her Reward
The cook for a well known Seattle family left, and no other could be obtained, so the lady of the house did the cooking herself with such satisfactory results, that, after a month, her husband gave her a beautiful set of sables as a token of his appreciation of the good dinners he had enjoyed.

Of course the neighbors soon heard of this, and when the cook left in another equally well known family the lady of that house said to her husband:

"Well, the cook has gone and I'm not going to bother to get another. I'm going to do the cooking myself, dearie. You heard what Mr. So-and-So gave his wife when she did the cooking?"

And, putting her arms round his neck, she cooed: "What shall I get for my cooking?"

"Woman," said her husband, pushing her away, "you will get a long black veil."—Saturday Evening Post.

Job Never
Slipped on a cake of soap. Had to button a fifteen collar on a sixteen shirt. Got a gas bill. Tried to dodge an automobile. Was struck by a three foot hatpin in a theater.

Paid 35 cents for 10 cents worth of butter. Tried to get a meal out of a railroad sandwich.

Had to listen to a phonograph concert at a friend's house.

Got off a street car backward. Had to help pay the expenses of a congress.

For, if he had, his biography would have been somewhat altered and his most famous trait of character would have turned up missing.

Sunshine Predominates.
If you count the sunny and the cloudy days of the whole year, you will find that the sunshine predominates.—Ovid.

MISS ZOELLER IS GRADUATED

Presented with Medal for Completing Course in Conservatory of Music

Miss Ursula Zoeller, 830 Wall street, was graduated from the St. Cecilia Conservatory of Music, corner Tenth and Market streets, last evening when an excellent musical program was given. Miss Zoeller was presented a medal at the exercises for finishing her course in music. Following is the program which was given:

March—Tannhauser-Wagner.
Oh, Welcome, Lovely Spring—Schuman—Solo and chorus.
Concerto and E. Flat Major—Beethoven.
(a) Allegro; (b) Adagio untoc-mocco; (c) Durrando.
Orchestral parts on second piano. Ave Maria—Voice and violin.
(a) Midsummer, MacDowell; (b) Moment Musical, Moszkowski; (c) Poene du Souvenir, H. Hofman; (d) Polonaise, Chopin.
Twilight Bell, Vocal serenade. Fantasia, Raff.
Conferring of the medal.
Address, Rev. Ambrose Murphy.

HILL WANTED FAIR CHANCE

Wouldn't Race Train With Boat If Craft Was Going to Stick to River.

One day, the story runs, when Jim Hill was going in the railroad business and the Great Northern was not the fine system it is today, he was met in St. Paul by the head of a big steamboat company doing business on the Great Lakes.

"Jim," said the steamboat man, "I'll match one of my boats against one of your trains in a fair race for \$1,000 a side."

Mr. Hill hesitated. "I don't know," said he, "some of your boats are pretty fast."

"I'll race you upstream," added the steamboat man, as a further inducement.

"Oh!" exclaimed the other in a disgusted tone, "if you're going to stick to the river then you might as well give up the notion of any race. I thought you meant you'd bring your boat out on the prairie alongside the track and give me some show."

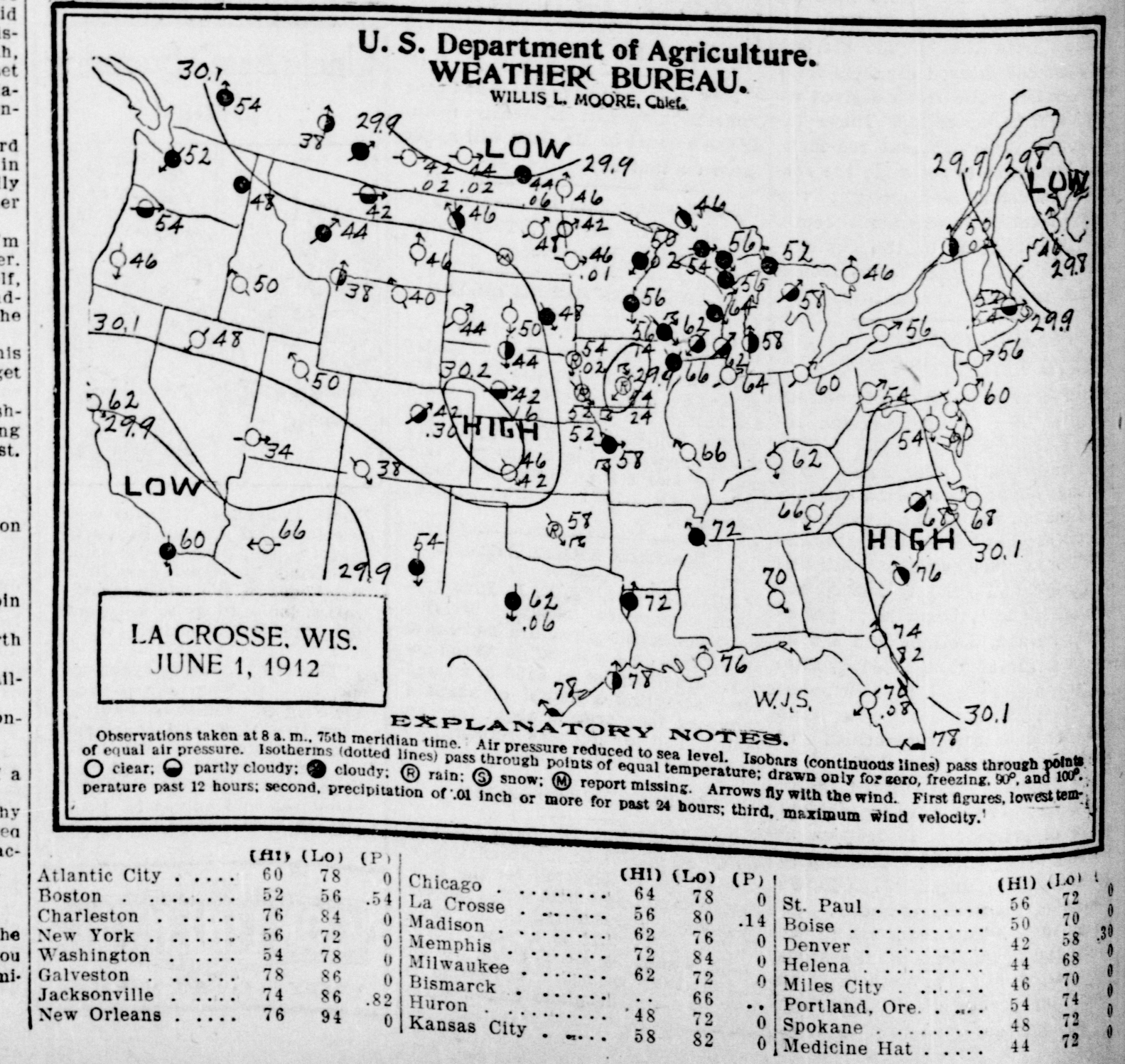
Pearls indicate tears—especially if your better half has set her mind on diamonds. Im-por-tun-ty knocks at the door oftener than his brother "op".

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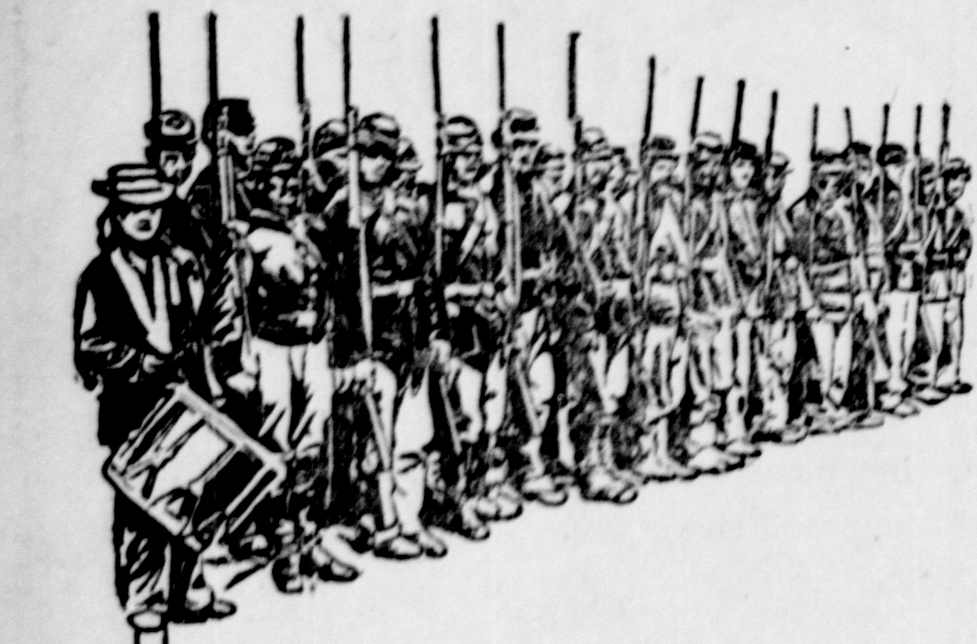


THIS NEWSPAPER SECURES A CAMERA RECORD THAT IS UNIQUE

The Only Great War Ever Photographed Was Our Own Civil War—An Opportunity to See It as It Really Looked—Long-Lost Photographs Brought to Light and Offered Readers of This Newspaper Are the Only Ones of Their Kind.

The only great war ever photographed was the American Civil War. For it was the first after the invention of photography. And it was also the last grand-scale fighting that was picturesque, personal, hand-to-hand. In '61, for the first and last time, the daily business, tragedy and humor of a war were "caught" on thousands of photographs.

Since 1865 the opportunity has passed forever for paralleling such an intimate panorama of life and



death as the owner of The Tribune series has at hand.

Modern rifles kill at 1-2 miles. But in '61, no general firing was done beyond 300 yards. Brady and his followers did what will never be done again; they crept close to the trenches and earthworks and showed us the face of a whole great war in progress.

Modern field guns are deadly at three miles—often while the can-ners are entirely out of sight. But in The Tribune special supplement

are pictures taken while the enemy was not a mile away!

Above all—the war correspondent today has become virtually a war prisoner. He is suspected as a spy. He is kept away from the headquarters and from the firing line as well; from any scene that might betray losses suffered, or the lie of the land, or the disposition of the forts and earthquakes.

But in '61, the camera artists who made these long buried photographs,

penetrated to the very storm centers. There was no "censor," no orders restricting photographers, no suspicion in '61. Why should there be? The camera was thought a toy. Photo-engraving had not been dreamed of. Brady and his fellow pioneers were allowed behind the very scenes of war, close to life and death.

And the fascinating eye-witnesses they preserved are now embodied in "The Civil War Through the Camera," which readers of this newspaper can obtain at low cost.

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PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.

Perfect weather, a fine parade and an unusually large attendance marked the Memorial day exercises in this city. In the absence of Hon. R. B. Smith of Merrill, Mr. W. R. Graves of Prairie du Chien, delivered the Memorial address at Fort Crawford cemetery. Music was provided by the Prairie du Chien band and by the M. E. choir.

A large crowd witnessed a game of ball at the new ball park between Prairie du Chien and McGregor. The game was called at 3 p. m., the McGregor battery was Donahue and Presheo, Prairie du Chien, Kellar and Brenner. Score, 6 to 3 in favor of Prairie.

At Sacred Heart college the college team won from Lawrence university, Appleton, 6 to 1.

The class day exercises of this year's high school graduates takes place Saturday evening at the Metropolitan theater when the following program will be given:

Music, High school orchestra.
President's address, Florence Ziel.
Peace Pipe, Edith Speck.
Response, Elmer Herold, president of Junior class.

Class history, Hazel Copsey.
Class prophecy, Mamie Cecka.
Class poem, Florence Thomas.
Class will, May Stehr.

Advice to lower classmen, Marie Walters.

Class play, "The Cool Collegians." Commencement exercises takes place Monday evening when a class of thirteen will receive diplomas, the graduates being Fred C. Bruchman, Estella Caya, Mamie Cecka, Mertie Griesbach, Edith Speck, Florence Thomas, May Stehr, Elmer Wachter, Mona Wagner, Florence Ziel, of Prairie du Chien; Clyde Miller, Patch Grove; Marie Walters, Wauzeka; and

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PERSONALS

Animated weekly at Lyric today. Miss Tillie Faas, 624 North Ninth street, who has been visiting relatives in Springfield, Ohio, for the past month, returned home Thursday evening.

Elec. Flat Iron \$3.50 at Benton's. Kurt Fuhlbruegge, Standstone, Minn., has returned to his home, after spending a few days with his parents, 1215 Vine street.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. Mrs. Gus Butzke, Austin, Minn., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Fuhlbruegge, 1215 Vine street, for a few days.

Dr. Weston, specialist, 4th & Main. B. Miller left La Crosse a few days ago for a business visit to Milwaukee.

Do not fail to go to Winona on the steamer "G. W. Hill" Sunday, June 9.

Miss Clara Palitzky, 939 Adams street, returned yesterday to her home, after an extended visit in Shelby, Mont.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Line. Phone 179.

The Rt. Rev. W. W. Webb, D. D., bishop of Milwaukee, will administer confirmation Sunday morning at Christ Episcopal church, at the 10:45 service.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Cyril West has gone to Milwaukee, where he has accepted a position with the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad. He left on Wednesday.

The "G. W. Hill," which gives the excursion Sunday, June 9, has the largest clear dance floor of any steamer on the river, it being supported by steel structural work.

Afternoon excursion to Winona on the steamer "G. W. Hill," Sunday, June 9. Leaves La Crosse 2:30 p. m. Returns 9:30 p. m. Fare 50c. Auto repairs. Hirt Machinery Co.

There will be a musical service at Christ church Sunday afternoon at 4:30. The choir will be assisted by Miss Harriet B. Oltman, and Glen Hallik, violinist. Martin's "Whoso dwelleth under the Defense of the Most High" will be sung, and Mr. Packman will play Dudley Buck's tone poem, "On the Coast."

A. J. Burgess, Janesville, Wis., is visiting his brother, F. H. Burgess, 137 South Eleventh street.

The steamer "G. W. Hill" is a crystal palace at night when illuminated with her 2,000 lights. It will be worth your time to see the steamer "G. W. Hill" Sunday, June 9, at 2:30 p. m.

Miss Ethel Stevens left this morning for her home in Melrose, after attending the W. B. U. during the winter.

The family of Joseph Wild will move to West Virginia in the near future. Mr. Wild is employed by the Can company at that place.

Miss Hattie Houthmaker leaves tomorrow for a trip to Seattle.

J. B. Brzowski, Viroqua, was a business visitor in La Crosse today.

CHILDREN AVERAGE SAVING OF 9 CENTS

The average saving of the 2,344 children, members of the Penny Savings system of the public schools, for the month of May, is nine cents. The total amount added to the pile of savings is \$221.80. This brings the total already deposited up to \$13,246.93. Mrs. R. B. Lowry, secretary of the Penny Savings association, has requested that all children take their savings books to the banks from July 1 to 10 to have the interest due figured up and entered on their books. A total of approximately \$150 is to be drawn by the children as interest on their savings. The penny saving is to be continued during the vacation by the children, taking their savings in amounts of 50 cents or over directly to the banks.

POPE TO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY TOMORROW

ROME, June 1.—His holiness, Pope Pius, will be 77 tomorrow. To friends who called today to congratulate him, the venerable prelate stated that he was in the best of health and that he hoped to live many years. He appeared in both excellent health and spirits and seemed today to have entirely shaken off his recent depression. The troops and the Vatican officials today prepared for an imposing demonstration tomorrow in honor of the occasion, although, it being Sunday, the observance will be mainly religious.

SHOOT TWO AND SELF

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 1.—Ernest Staples, a farmer living near Angola, 22 miles from this city, today shot his wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. M. Fillmore Brown. He broke into the home of his mother-in-law to kill the women. He then committed suicide.

If a man won't fight until he is cornered he usually hard to corner.

Collapsible Sanitary Drinking Cups

Our stock comprises a full and complete line of pocket drinking cups, ranging in price from 35c to \$2.50.

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AN ALMANAC AS LIFE SAVER

What She Read in a Little Book
Proved to be Helpful and Showed
a Kentucky Lady How to
Regain Her Health

COVINGTON, Ky. — "Everybody thought I had consumption," writes Mrs. Martha Owens, of this place. "Nobody believed I could ever get well."

According to them, I should be in my grave, now, and not up writing letters.

One day, a Ladies' Birthday Almanac fell into my hands. I read it and told my husband that I would try Cardui, for I believed in what the book said that this medicine would do.

I bought a bottle, took the medicine, and began to get better right away. I could feel how it was doing me good. After I had taken five bottles, the pain and hurting was all gone; and I felt so well and happy.

During the time I was sick, I couldn't do anything, no sweeping, no house work of any kind, and sometimes my head would hurt from sun-up to sun down.

Now all this has changed, and I have to thank Cardui for it.

Put my name in the papers, so that everybody may know what Cardui has done for me and that others may try this medicine which, I am sure, will help them too."

If you suffer, as Mrs. Owens did, take her advice. Try Cardui. It may be just what you need.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions and 64 page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

CALF MAY BREAK SOCIAL LEADER

Arthur Meeker, Beef Magnate, Bucked a Woman
in the Dairy Business
and Loses Caste

CHICAGO, June 1. — A Jersey calf may be the undoing of Arthur Meeker of Armour & Co., through the revelations made by Mrs. Scott Durand of Chicago, who abjured society life for dairy farming and became the object of persecutions which in her disclosure to the congressional committee she laid at Meeker's door. The calf, the gift of a friend, aroused Mrs. Durand's ambition "to be something for herself."

So successful was she in her undertaking that her farm of 500 acres is today valued at \$250,000 plus the blooded stock upon it and it is said to bring her a net profit of \$15,000 a year. Mrs. Durand is one of the old blue blooded Baltimore families, a southerner, which explains in part her refusal to "adopt stock yard methods" in competition with the general manager of the big packing company, who runs a rival dairy farm near here. The view she takes of the alleged attempts of a man to put a woman out of business is looked upon as a chapter "in chivalry for the new rich."

In recent years much of Mrs. Durand's time has been given to the gospel of better methods in dairying as she has been a popular lecturer at farmers' institutes. Yet it was only a dozen years ago that she led the "conventional life of society. When the Jersey calf aroused her, in her decisive way she bought a farm for \$105,000, entirely on her own responsibility and started in the dairy business with a herd of Jersey cows because she would not part with the calf. At first Mrs. Durand had a manager but one day she discovered his shortcomings and the next day she boarded a train for Madison and entered the summer dairy class at the University of Wisconsin, the only woman in a class of several hundred students.

J. GEO. SCHWEIZER OPENS NEW AGENCY

Retiring from the Pettingill agency, J. George Schweizer has opened a general insurance agency in which he is the sole factor at Room 223, McMillan building.

Mr. Schweizer has been prominently identified with city affairs for many years. His first commission in La Crosse was with the J. J. Hogan company, with which he was associated for two years. Ten years as secretary of the Wisconsin Light and Power company, after which he joined Mr. Pettingill. He has also been prominently identified with the La Crosse Interurban Telephone company, in which he is still interested.

WOMAN HELD FOR HUSBAND'S DEATH

FREEDOM, Pa., June 1.—Upon the recommendation of a coroner's jury that she be arrested and held as an accomplice to the death of her husband, Charles Rose Royal, a Pennsylvania railroad engineer, Mrs. Royal was locked up in the Beaver county jail today.

Royal's body was found in the Ohio river near his home several days after he had disappeared. Signs of a struggle in the cellar of his home and blood stains leading toward the river also were found.

:: SOCIETY ::

LADIES' NIGHT SUCCESS

The ladies' night which was celebrated by the B. A. Yeomen Tuesday evening proved to be one of the most entertaining events ever held by the Yeomen in La Crosse. The stereotypical views were used which added greatly to the work. A large class of candidates was taken in.

During the evening Dr. Burritt, honorable foreman, was presented with a beautiful bouquet. The beautiful state banner which was won by the homestead was presented by Mrs. Lee in a very pleasing manner. Several prizes were given to members for securing new members, among which was a 26 piece set of silver. Mrs. Hansen rendered two very pleasing solos, accompanied by Miss Jessie Monty, which were loudly applauded. After the meeting the members repaired to the small hall where two long tables were set. The tables were prettily decorated with carnations and lilies of the valley. Ten young ladies dressed in white acted as waiters. The Yeomen orchestra furnished excellent music for dancing, which was continued till 1 o'clock.

MOTOR RIDES

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sissons and party, consisting of Mrs. F. A. Cotton and Mrs. John J. Esch motored to Sparta yesterday.

Mrs. Alex Hyslop filled her car with friends on Decoration day and motored beyond Onalaska where a picnic dinner was served. In the party besides the hostess was Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Spicer, the Misses Mable Matteson, Ruth Leisring, Gertrude Heydon and Mr. Gene Gatterdam.

PICNIC AT FERNDALE

A number of young people spent Decoration day at Ferndale. In the party were the Misses Gretchen Salzer, Frances Egbert, Leona Doerflinger, Carol Cotton, Irene Esch, Messrs. Myron Locke, Don Dickinson, Otze Miller, Howard and Gene Hundemark.

Four divisions of the German M. E. Sunday school were entertained at a picnic at Myrick Park by their teachers, Mrs. P. T. Schulze, A. W. Zeratzky, Mrs. Brandenburger and Mr. O. W. Muenster.

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. August Kaufman of 1114 Division street, entertained a family reunion on Decoration day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. Horn, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gerwitz and son. The pleasant family gathering was saddened by the absence of the daughter of the host and hostess, Mrs. Lizzie Manthia, who passed away at her home in Chicago last winter.

PARCEL SHOWER

A parcel shower was held Tuesday evening, May 28, at the home of Mrs. Mike Webber, Pine street, in honor of Miss Bertha Logelin, who is to be a June bride. The rooms were prettily decorated in white and green, marguerites and locust blossoms being used in great profusion. Refreshments were served at a late hour, after which the guests departed, having spent a pleasant evening. Those present were Gertrude Kelley, Marguerite Deneen, Ella Bittner, Mae Merwin, Marie Heberlein, Elizabeth Magin, Stella Hannagan, Dora Berg, Clara Wendling, Anna Haugland, Sophia Gee, Pearl Crook, Minnie Sword, Josie Jansky and Bertha Logelin.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Mrs. N. D. Allen is entertaining her niece, Mrs. Snow, of Boston, Mass., and brother, Mr. Ned Stanley of Washington, Vt.

Miss Mary Evans returned today from Washington, D. C., where she has been attending Trinity college.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The first ladies day of the season of the La Crosse Country club will be held Wednesday, June 5. A full attendance is requested, as a matter of importance is to be brought before the club.

There will be a crafts exhibit Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the public library of hand made jewelry, textiles, basket work and hand dyed scarves. Much of the work is that of Miss Gertrude Tausche. Some of the textiles were made and designed by Miss Gertrude Smith of this city.

BREAKFAST.

Mrs. Alex Hyslop entertained this morning at a breakfast.

AFTERNOON COFFEE.

Mrs. B. Smith and Mrs. Frank E. Davis entertained at a coffee yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Smith on North Eighth street, in honor of Mrs. Schwerin of New York, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Louis Hirschheimer. About thirty guests were present. They were served from prettily decorated tables by the Misses Ruth Parks and Dora Marshall.

BIRTH ANNIVERSARY.

Mrs. Walter Melklejohn entertained this afternoon fifteen ladies in honor of the birthday of Mrs. P. J. Wilden. Mrs. Wilden was presented with a handsome Japanese tray.

BUMP! THUMP!

That's your heels hitting the hard pavements; and every step is jarring your entire nervous system, making you tired, cross, disagreeable and generally "all in."

A pair of our Rubber Heels will fix you up in fine shape. Do it now!

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Fire, Life, Accident, Health, Auto, Marine, Tornado, Hail, Plate Glass, Bonds and Liability, represented by the best companies.

Mr. Schweizer will be pleased to meet all of his old friends and patrons in the above office. New phone 762.

Old Country GREEN SOAP

ONALASKA, WIS.

The Aggie baseball team played two games Saturday and won both. They went to Trempealeau in the morning where they played the highs of that place and the game resulted in a victory for them, the score being 2 to 9. They played the Bangor highs on the local grounds in the afternoon, winning by the score of 11 to 2. At the close of the game the local highs played the Galesville team but were beaten. The final score was 3 to 2.

Mrs. Agnetha Larson, a former resident of this place but now of St. Paul, came down Saturday to visit friends a couple of weeks.

N. G. Gosline of Rock Island, Ill., came Saturday evening to spend a couple of days at the home of A. E. Smith.

Mrs. Haskell and son returned to their home at Tomah Monday after spending a couple of days with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Snow.

Mrs. Agnetha L. Gedney and R. E. Pinkerton entertained a few friends at their home Friday afternoon. The guests were Mesdames W. H. Aldrich, W. A. Lester, A. M. Moore, J. A. Moore and J. L. Sowle.

Mr. Pfaff of La Crosse spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Louisa Stordant.

Ed. Osgard, who has been spending the past week with friends and relatives here, returned to his work at Minneapolis Tuesday.

The Onalaska State Bank opened its doors for business Monday morning. The bank examiner was up from Madison Saturday and found everything in a satisfactory condition. Cashier John Aiken was kept busy all day Monday as the deposits came in rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Merrill of St. Paul spent Sunday with the former's parents here. Mr. Merrill returned to his work Sunday evening and Mrs. Merrill went to Galesville Monday noon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bartholomew.

The Onalaska city baseball team went to Bangor Sunday where they met the team from there. They were able to play only five innings as the rain interfered but the score then was 8 to 0 in Bangor's favor.

Mrs. Jack Kelly of La Crosse spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith.

Mrs. A. Delamater and daughter, Hazel, returned from Winona Monday, where they spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. George Delamater.

Harvey Riebe came down from St. Paul Friday evening to spend a week with friends and relatives.

Arthur Larson returned from Ladysmith Saturday where he spent a week on business.

Mrs. F. I. Phelps went to Trempealeau Saturday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Altenberg.

W. H. Aldrich has rented the store building formerly occupied by R. P. Schulz of La Crosse and will continue to sell confectionaries and ice cream as well as cigars. Mr. Aldrich has made some interior improvements and it presents a very neat appearance.

WE BEG TO ANNOUNCE

The arrival of another invoice of the well known Indian Wa-Hoo Bitters. To those suffering with Chronic Rheumatic Affections, Blood Disorders or Stomach Troubles, this remedy is especially recommended, and I will sell them a \$1.00 bottle at 25 cents up to June 15th. Commencing June 16th, it will be sold at the regular price of \$1.00 per bottle positively. This is the last call.

Telephone and mail orders promptly attended to, for anything you may need from the drug store.

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Office Hours: 9 to 12 M.; 2 to 5 P. M. Sundays, 9 to 11 A. M.

HATPIN PRICKS COW

MONROE, Mo., June 1.—Wearing her new summer hat, Mrs. Bessie Carroll endeavored to milk the family cow. A fourteen inch hatpin pricked the cow, which immediately got into action. Mrs. Carroll suffered a broken arm.

LOSES THE BALL

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 1. — The Belleville, Ill., baseball league is on a strike until Henry Ebel, a pinch hitter, is ruled from the game. Henry swatted the league's ball squarely into a passing freight car and the game had to be called.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 4th Tuesday, being the 25th day of June, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Oscar Olsen Dille, executor of the last will and testament of Bernt Olsen Dille, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, for the adjustment, settlement and allowance of his final account as such executor, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are entitled to the same.

Dated May 18, 1912.
By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

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Then you come to me.

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LA CROSSE THEATRE TODAY SUNDAY

"The Cattle King's Daughter"

A bully Western drama. See the west of years ago with its feuds and bad men.

"True Till Death"

A sentimental war time drama.

"The Lost Dog"

One of Lubin's best comedies.

"The Forgotten Pocketbook"

A genuine laugh producer.

Marshall P. Wilder

The little crippled man who has made the whole world laugh, will give his world famous vaudeville performance.

"Alkali Ike's Boarding House"

You can't see this without laughing. It's a scream. The film is simply great. It's a riot. You will thoroughly enjoy every minute. See it by all means.

"Exposed By The Dictograph"

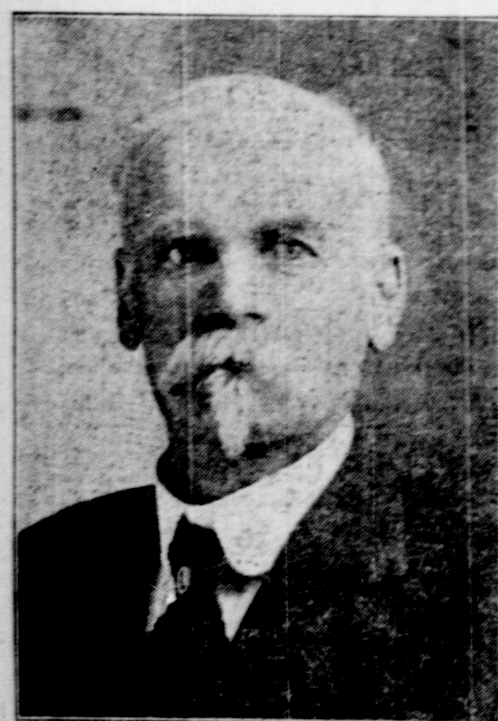
A detective story.

"How He Papered The Room"

Listen: Can you imagine fat John Bunny hanging paper—or trying to hang it? Will you laugh? You know it.

SOME SHOW:

Political Adv. \$1.00 Paid



J. K. JOHNSON

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DRESBACH AND DAKOTA APPEAL TO CONGRESS

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sole evidence of Mr. W. A. Thompson's report, which we can prove to be inaccurate and the author of which could not be expected to own up to any error of judgment, we respectfully, but earnestly, request congress to take up this matter, to appoint a committee to investigate here on the spot the existing conditions, to hear our side of the case and to report their findings for further action, and be it further

"Resolved, that these resolutions be transmitted to Hon. Sydney Anderson with the request that he secure the co-operation of Minnesota's delegation in congress and use his utmost endeavors to bring about such an investigation as we desire."

"J. E. LANGDON,
Chairman.
"JOHN DONEHOWER,
Secretary."

MAY PROSECUTE TRUST

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Attorney General Wickersham may be instructed by the house to begin a new prosecution of the "beef trust." Representative Edwards of Georgia is canvassing members securing their support for his resolution declaring that the "trust" is keeping meat prices at their present unprecedented figures simply "because it has the power to do so," and demanding immediately another prosecution.

DOCTOR GETS NEW TRIAL

DETROIT, Mich., June 1.—After serving a year and a half of his seven and one-half year sentence for manslaughter in connection with the death of Maybelle Millman, Ann Arbor girl, who is alleged to have died of a criminal operation, Dr. George A. Fritch was today notified that the state supreme court had granted him a new trial.

FIRE CRETAN DEPUTIES

ATHENS, June 1.—The Cretan deputies were today ejected from the parliament chamber by troops acting under the order of the majority leaders.

SOMEBODY LIED IN ARCHBALD TRIAL

Evidence Adduced Contradicts Statements of Partners of Commerce Judge

THE HEARING GOES OVER

Postponement Until Monday to Settle Routine Committee Business

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Glaring inconsistencies in evidence of various witnesses before the house judiciary committee in the impeachment investigation of Judge Robert W. Archbald of the commerce court, resulted today in an order for the recall of two and probably more witnesses.

Attorney George Watson and Edward J. Williams of Scranton, alleged partners of Archbald in coal negotiations, are to be heard before the committee again.

That the testimony of Watson and Williams has been flatly contradicted since they testified is the opinion of many committeemen. Explanations will be demanded.

Hearings will be suspended today until Monday, because of urgent routine business before the judiciary committee.

On Monday, in addition to re-examination of Watson and Williams, President Thomas of the Lehigh Valley railroad is scheduled to testify against Archbald. Alleged flat contradictions of Watson's testimony yesterday by President Truesdale and Vice President Loomis of the Lackawanna railroad is agitating the committee.

Watson testified that he visited Archbald here October 7 last to secure data for presentation to the railroad officials in negotiating the sale of William P. Board's coal plant for a commission.

Truesdale and Loomis testified the conference was held several days before Watson's trip to Washington.

Attorney C. Larue Munson of Williamsport, added a bit of interesting testimony against Archbald, declaring he was asked by Archbald's clerk in the federal court at Scranton to contribute to a "testimonial" cash fund when Archbald went to Europe a few years ago. Munson said he refused to contribute, "declining to embarrass the judge."

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Committees of the union meet every train that comes into town and up to the present have succeeded in organizing three-quarters of the strike breakers imported. Many of these men insisted they did not know a strike was in progress and accepted tickets back to their homes.

Only the tolerance of the guests has made it possible for many of the hotels where the strike is on to keep their dining rooms open at all. Many of the guests have openly taken sides with the managers and have urged them to crush the union. This is especially so at the Waldorf, the Knickerbocker, the Plaza, the Vanderbilt and the Manhattan where most of the transient guests are rich or are members of the National Association of Manufacturers, arch enemy of union labor. There the proprietors openly boast that their guests are willing to take ham and eggs served country style as long as they do not give in to the union.

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WAITERS' STRIKE TIES UP HOTELS

Recognition of the Union Only Obstacle to Settling of All the Difficulties

NEW YORK, June 1.—The first direct victory for the striking waiters who have tied up the majority of the big hotels and restaurants in the city came at noon today when Murray's restaurant granted all of the demands of the union and signed the agreement, averting a general strike there. At the same time the eighty cooks and waiters in the Fifth avenue restaurant, joined the ranks of the strikers, and it was stated that half a dozen other restaurants and hotels would be tied up at dinner time tonight.

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BIG BATTLE IS COMING

FATE OF MEXICAN REVOLUTION DEPENDS ON FIGHT NOW DUE AT LEDRO

WASHINGTON, June 1.—That a decisive battle is imminent which will either crush the Orozco revolution or indefinitely prolong the fighting in Mexico was the belief today of state department officials on the basis of official reports today.

The rebels are now known to be concentrating at Ledro, a small town but important from a strategic standpoint from its proximity to Torreón. Meanwhile General Blanquet has succeeded in cutting off the entire right wing of Orozco's army, commanded by Gen. Campa, and having surrounded the rebels in a mountainous valley, is preparing to send Campa the ultimatum of unconditional surrender.

BOY TYPEWRITES 112 WORDS IN A MINUTE

Master Parker C. Woodson of New York, one of the fastest typewriter operators in the world and the winner of a championship typewriting cup, did some remarkable stunts on a No. 10 Visible Model Remington typewriter at the Wisconsin Business University and the high school yesterday, before an audience of pupils and stenographers. The boy was in charge of Mr. Raymond P. Kelley, manager of the school interests of the Remington Typewriter company for the United States and Canada, and was brought to this city by the local representative of that company.

Although he entered a business college in Chicago for the purpose of learning shorthand and typewriting as recently as January, 1910, the young man displayed speed and skill equal to that of the professionals and performed feats the like of which have probably never before been seen in this city. The unusual accuracy of the work was widely commented upon and the practical nature of the demonstrations appealed to all who saw them.

Although Master Woodson has no knowledge of the French language, he copied from a French reader at the rate of 87 words a minute, without error. This was done to show the possibilities of "touch typewriting," by which method the operator does not look at the keys but keeps his eyes on the copy while making the machine hum along at a steady and even gait. In copying by this method from new matter in the English language, the boy wrote at the rate of 112 words a minute while carrying on an animated conversation with one of the audience.

Perhaps the most sensational feat of all was that of writing 108 words in a single minute, with new matter, and at the same time mentally adding up five columns of five figures each without error in either the writing or the adding.

The W. B. U. held the final typewriting test yesterday morning to determine the winner of the fine gold medal presented by the Remington Typewriter company. The medal was won by Lloyd Donald with a speed of seventy-one words a minute.

The following shows the results of the test:

V. Roth 59, E. Stevens 41, H. Martell 44, E. Krause 52, O. Lear 47, C. Willard 45, J. Hagen 57, E. Olson 54, C. Winter 38, G. Adlington 42, M. Berg 40, I. Benson 47, C. Davis 34, J. Kettleson 48, L. Curran 39, C. Blinston 35, H. Johnson 46, F. Guenther 43, F. Jackson 44, C. Martin 39, B. Gantenbein 40, E. Reible 48, I. Roth 58, A. Rippe 69, L. Donald 71.

BRITISH VETERAN DIES

CHICAGO, June 1.—Patrick Webb, for 28 years a soldier in the British army, and a veteran of the Crimean war, died today at the home of his son, Thomas J. Webb in this city. Mr. Webb was 99 years old. He had fought under the British flag in every quarter of the British empire.

DOYLE SUCCEEDS ROSE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 1.—C. J. Doyle of Springfield was today appointed by Governor Deneen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the secretary of state, Rose. The republican central committee elected Doyle to succeed Rose on the republican ticket as candidate for secretary of state.

Diamonds, Watches Jewelry

If it's a wedding or engagement ring, come to us. Quality and exclusiveness are the talking points—no jimcrack manipulations that tire and weary by their shams and pretenses.

Goods and prices and store service are the implied obligations that rest upon us to interest and entertain you. Nothing theatrical, nothing spectacular—no pyrotechnics are permitted to obscure the real motives of business.

BERGER AFTER HANFORD

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Declaring Federal Judge Hanford of Seattle is "unfit, personally and judicially," to remain on the bench, Representative Berger, the Wisconsin socialist today announced plans for a nation wide attack upon the judge, to demand his removal. He cited Hanford's revocation of the citizenship papers of John Olson, as a specific instance.

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MRS. STORER GOT T. R. APPOINTMENT

Sequel to "Dear Maria" Letters Is Published by Woman Roosevelt Antagonized

COLONEL EXPRESSED THANKS

Missive Tells How Grateful He Was for Her Intervention in His Behalf

NEW YORK, June 1.—The exigencies of the presidential campaign have drawn another chapter of the "Dear Maria" letters from Mrs. Bellamy Storer of Cincinnati, arch enemy of Col. Theodore Roosevelt since he, as president in 1906, recalled Bellamy Storer as ambassador to Austria-Hungary. In her latest contribution, contained in the current issue of Harper's Weekly, Mrs. Storer claims that she persuaded the late President McKinley to make Roosevelt assistant secretary of the navy.

T. R. Begged Support.

An account of how she and her husband, invited to Oyster Bay by Col. Roosevelt in 1896, were there begged by him to plead his cause with President McKinley, then at Canton, Ohio, and how she successfully persuaded President McKinley to appoint Roosevelt assistant secretary, though the president personally thought Roosevelt a "hot head" and "harum scarum" who was always "getting into rows with everybody," are some of the things Mrs. Storer tells in her latest contribution.

Included in the story appears the letter said to have been written to Mrs. Storer by Col. Roosevelt, which is in part as follows:

The Letter.

"Oyster Bay, L. I., N. Y.,

"Sagamore Hill, Dec. 5, 1896.

"Dear Mrs. Storer:

"It would be hard to tell how deeply touched Edith and I were at your letter and I never can say how much I appreciate your interest and your more than kindness, but it was just like you. I have read and re-read your letter, repeatedly and together, and it told us exactly what we wished to know. I cannot thank you enough. * * * There is one point on which I am a little inclined to differ with you. I don't wish to go to Canton unless McKinley sends for me. I don't think there is any need of it. He saw me when I went there during the campaign, and if he thinks I am a hot head, a harum scarum, I don't think he will change his mind now. What you have said, dear Mrs. Storer, will count for more than seeing me again, as he already knows me, and does not need to find out anything by personal investigation. Moreover, I do not wish to appear as a supplicant, for I am not a supplicant. * * * I am deeply grateful to you, and I am so very fond of you that I do not mind being under obligations to you."

ONE VOTE SHORT OF BONDING CITY N TEST BALLOT

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out including the reservoir on Grand bluff. The resolution was referred to the water committee.

During the debate Aldermen Houska, Downs and Schultz declared that they favored the abolishment of the board of public works unless that body expressed a willingness to cooperate with the council in the building of the water plant. Several of the aldermen also took occasion to urge the recall of Engineer Malby with the request that he revise his plans and undertake the installation of the plant along the lines recommended in the Alvord and Burdick report. This question was also referred to the special water committee.

Committee to Report

The committee will hold a meeting next week and will report at the regular meeting of the council next Friday evening.

The Alvord and Burdick proposition as submitted to the council last night named as terms \$7,000 for the drawing of the plans and 2 1-2 per cent for the supervision of the installing of the plant. It is estimated that this would amount to a total of about \$18,000. Action on the engineers' proposition was deferred until the Friday night meeting when the bonding ordinance, which was given its first and second reading last night, comes up for final consideration. It requires sixteen votes to pass an ordinance bonding the city and some of the friends of the plan hope to change the stand of one of the opposing aldermen. If this is done the bonds will be issued and the pumping station and the reservoir will be built this year.

Buy Well Site

The resolution offering Anna Martindale \$5,280 for a warranty deed on the land where it is proposed to dig the wells in settlement of the controversy over the condemnation of the land was passed.

City Attorney A. H. Schubert announced that in a conference with the state railroad commission yesterday in Madison he had obtained the consent of the commission to reopen the Rose street viaduct affair providing the council presented a petition to that effect. The council considered the elevating of the Milwaukee railroad tracks instead of the viaduct.

It was voted to grant the special

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NORMAL LECTURE COURSE THE COBURN PLAYERS

THREE OPEN-AIR PERFORMANCES IN MYRICK PARK.

Friday, June 7, 8:15 P. M.
Canterbury Pilgrims.
By Percy Mackay.

Saturday, June 8, 2:30 P. M.
Taming of the Shrew.
Shakespeare.

Saturday, June 8, 8:15 P. M.
ELECTRA.
Trans. by Gilbert Murray.

These high class plays have been presented at all the leading universities and colleges, before many country clubs, and at the White House.

Holders of season tickets are entitled to any one performance free.
Prices to the public: One performance 75c; two, \$1.25; three, \$1.50.
Prices to students of all schools: One play, 50c; two, 75c; three, \$1.00.

Tickets are now on sale at Hebbard's Drug Store.

If weather is unfavorable, the plays will be given in the Normal auditorium.

PUBLIC DEBATE

Mr. Editor:

Dear Sir:
In looking over an old scrap book, my eyes fell upon a copy of the "Old Blue Laws of Connecticut" which, as an old curiosity, it seems to me should be printed for comparison with our standards of today; and also for the benefit of old fossils who are constantly looking backward, instead of forward, and sighing for "the good old days" of their forefathers. So here they are, verbatim, as copied:

1. The governor and magistrate convened in General Assembly are the Supreme power, under God, of the independent dominion. From the determination of the assembly no appeal shall be made.
2. No one shall be a freeman or have a vote unless he is converted, and a member of one of the churches allowed in the dominion.
3. Each freeman shall swear by the Blessed God to bear allegiance to this dominion; and that Jesus is the only King.

4. No dissenter from the essential worship of this dominion shall be allowed to give a vote for election of magistrates, or any other officer.
5. No food or lodging shall be offered to a heretic. No one shall cross the river on the Sabbath Day, but authorized clergymen.

6. No one shall travel, cook victuals, make beds, sweep houses, cut hair or shave on the Sabbath Day.
7. No one shall kiss his or her children on the Sabbath Day or feasting days. (I presume sweethearts and lovers were glad this law only pertained to parents and children.)
8. The Sabbath shall begin at sunset Saturday.

9. Whosoever wears clothes trimmed with gold, silver, or bone lace above one shilling per yard, shall be presented by the Grand Jurors, and the Selectmen shall tax the estate three hundred pounds.
10. Whoever brings cards or dice

into the dominion shall pay a fine of five pounds.

11. No one shall eat mince pies, dance, or play cards, or play any instrument of music except the drum, trumpet, or Jewsharp.

12. No Gospel Minister shall join people in marriage; the magistrate may join them, as he may do it with less scandal to Christ's church.

13. When parents refuse their children convenient marriages, the magistrate shall determine the point.
14. A man who strikes his wife shall be fined ten pounds. A woman who strikes her husband shall be punished as the law directs.

These laws are a doleful cry from the wilderness of sectarian superstition; but even unto this day, we know there are numbers of people who are sighing for the "good old days"; and are ever more content in looking backward, than forward; they put more credence in superstition and tradition, than in science and present day revelations.

"Hark from the tomb a doleful sound" still echoes along the Christian horizon. Oh, how they hug and practice the laws of Moses and forget the mandates of Christ.

"Oh, why are we not like our forefathers?" is the pitiful wail from the representatives of the sixteenth century; a cry for the good old days of Cotton Mather, John Calvin, and the Spanish Inquisition.

What a hallowed time we would enjoy if the church still controlled the state and all Christian ministers were faithful to old time sentiments, and filled the air with the howling eloquence of antiquated old orthodoxy, when every sermon was loaded with fire and brimstone, and threatening of the wrath to come.

"Oh, why are we not like our forefathers?" Why don't we go to mill with an ox team, or put our grain in one end of a bag and a stone in the other to balance the grain, then put the bag, grain and all across our own shoulders to lessen the burden of the dear beast while we ride him to mill?

Why don't we whip our children for looking out of the windows on Sunday with their sinful little eyes,

which were made principally to weep with and get sore because Eve was not a natural dressmaker and the Creator of heavens and the earth was obliged to make her first pin, before to appear in the society of animals and snakes?

Why don't we crucify all heathens and heretics; deny that the earth is a globe; insist that St. Augustine was inspired when he declared it was not? Why do we permit an organ in the churches when our forefathers insisted it was the invention of the devil?

Why do we allow the ministers a warm church with an elegant pulpit and cushioned pews when our fathers sat on cold, hard benches, in cold churches to hear the warming processes of Sheol proclaimed from firstly to twenty-firstly, while the sinners shivered with fear more real with the temperature twenty degrees below zero?

It was sin then to be piously comfortable, when they should be doing penance and bearing the cross to win the crown. But we have noticed that those dear old forefathers with all their boasted piety, were much like other people, that they often practiced on the sly what they condemned in sinners in public; they were often betrayed by their passions and, in fact, they were often not as good as the heathens that they persecuted, imprisoned and slandered.

I am thankful we do not live in the past; that we live in this age of greater development in every line of procedure; and have found that God is not capricious enough to stop the course of the sun at the command of a man that he may have more time to kill his enemies, and that we have come to where woman is entitled to man's respect in spite of Paul's edict that she should "remain silent and if she wanted anything, ask it of her husband at home." Poor women! I fear some of them would forever remain ignorant.

Yes, we are glad indeed that we live this progressive age, where slowly but surely, right will take the place of might and where Christ will eventually rule instead of mammon.

CATHERINE M'FARLIN.

VIROQUA, WIS.

Mrs. Eliza Ramsey of Newry visited Mrs. M. D. Brown.

Mrs. Eli Thompson visited with friends at Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Brye spent last week with her brother Chester at Newry.

L. R. Adlington went to Elroy Thursday.

A. F. Schilling of the town of Liberty was in the city Wednesday.

Lulu Berlin visited friends in Viroqua for a few days.

Mrs. Will Fisher spent several days in Bangor with relatives.

Dr. Christenson has made his son Hans manager of his stock farm at West Prairie.

After an absence of some time at Zumbrota, Minn., Albert Solverson is again in this vicinity.

Mrs. Rev. Holverson is off to visit her daughter, the wife of Rev. Bestul, at Frenchville.

Mrs. Annie Bouffier is with her daughter, Mrs. Jake Thompson, after spending some time with her daughter at Chaseburg and son at La Crosse.

Dr. Will Gorsline has returned to Chicago.

Ed Taintor has rented the DeLapp house opposite the school house.

Wednesday Mrs. J. W. Brown entertained the "Wheel," a branch of the M. E. Aid society.

Miss Anna Turner is visiting her niece, Ally Richards Kelly, at Edmund.

Mrs. Chester Minshall and daughter Lois visited the former's sister at Minneapolis for ten days.

Rev. Hartwell and C. J. Smith are on the program for addresses at the La Crosse Congregational district convention to be held at Tomah, May 28 and 29.

Mrs. O. B. Wyman and daughter Ella have returned from their winter's visit abroad.

The family of M. J. Felix now occupies the John Bennett residence in the first ward.

Mrs. M. J. Rusk and daughter Mary have returned from their winter's visit in California.

Louis Thompson has moved into the Andrew Baldwin house recently purchased.

Col. Butt has been ordered to build a cement sidewalk on the west side of his land south of his home.

Love may not make the world go round, but it has that effect on the wheels in the lovers' head.

The average woman doesn't want lot of money; all she wants is most of the things money will buy.

BOYS TO CAMP AT TREMPLEALEUBAY

Ideal Place to Spend Summer Outing Obtained by Management of the Y. M. C. A.

GOOD PROGRAM IS PLANNED

Plenty of Amusements Arranged for the Ten Days in Camp Up the River

With the opening of the La Crosse Y. M. C. A. Boys' Summer camp only two weeks away the boys about the Association building are talking nothing but camp, camp, camp. Plans had been made for camping at Battle Island again this year but because of the high water a change was necessary and the management has secured the grounds at Trempealeau Bay, the splendid camp site which the St. Johns Military Academy occupied for four summers. The location is the best along the river for a large camp where swimming, fishing, boating, baseball and athletics must be provided. Trempealeau Bay is three miles above the village of Trempealeau and twenty-five miles from La Crosse. The land is high and well drained, sloping back gradually to the high lands and the cliffs. There are no low marshy spots nor patches of deep grass for breeding places for mosquitoes. The site is on the bank of a bay running fully half a mile from the Mississippi and so away from the danger of the big stream. The fishing is excellent, there is a fine swimming hole and back from the camp lies a large level field offering the finest opportunity for baseball and all manner of athletic sports.

Ogden in Charge
The camp will be in charge of C. F. Ogden of the Y. M. C. A. and other adults so that there will be plenty of competent leadership and supervision. C. R. Bearmore, Mr. Ogden's successor, will also be in camp for a part of the time at least.

The boys will leave for camp on Tuesday, June 18 and will break camp on June 28, giving a full ten days in camp. Just how the trip will be made will be determined later. With their new equipment of tents and cots the management will be in excellent shape to handle the sleeping end of the camp. Nothing will be lacking to care for the boys in sleeping, eating and healthful activities. Miss Hamburger who has been with the camp for the last two years will again preside in the culinary department, and the boys know what that means, and that they need have no fear for their stomach's sake.

Winona Boys There
The fact that the boys from the Winona Y. M. C. A. will be in camp at Trempealeau lakes at the same time with La Crosse boys, gives added zest to the camp idea, and the boys are busy planning a ball team that will be able to trim both the Winona boys as well as the Trempealeau team.

It will be a great outing and the boys of La Crosse appreciate as is seen from the fact that both years that the camp has been running it has been filled to its capacity, and outside of the state Y. M. C. A. camp at Phantom lake has been the largest boys camp in the state. The securing of the site at Trempealeau Bay this year makes an added attraction for the boys who know the place. It is a real treat to the boys and to the parents the summer camp offers a solution to the problem which arises at the vacation period when the boy is thrown so largely upon his own resources and with so much spare time on his hands.

LANSING, IOWA.

Mrs. Edward Whalen and baby of La Crosse are here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Whalen.

Mrs. F. P. Spinner was at La Crosse recently for treatment.

Lafe Daines, an old veteran from the Junction, was here on Decoration Day.

Mrs. Hoggie Simonson had the misfortune of falling into a deep hole one evening recently and bruised herself badly.

Clark Loses Point.

The Champ Clark people met with defeat in the democratic state convention in Tennessee yesterday, failing in their announced purpose to instruct the delegation from that state to Baltimore in favor of the candidacy of Speaker Clark. Seeing that they were defeated, the Clark people decided at the last minute not to offer the resolution for instructions. The delegation goes uninstructed, headed by Senator Luke Lea, who is one of Gov. Wilson's staunchest supporters. Gov. Wilson will have at least half of the Tennessee delegation and this number is certain to be increased before the first ballot is taken.

MINOCQUA BURNS

MINOCQUA, Wis., June 1.—Fire today destroyed the St. Paul depot, Lakeside hotel, the largest here, and an entire block of business buildings with a loss estimated at \$100,000. No one was killed or injured.

IS "Your Hat In the Ring?"
Are you daily fighting such ills as Poor Appetite, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Costiveness or Malaria? Just take

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for a few days and the victory is yours. Try a bottle and see.

WILSON WINS IN SPITE OF FIGHT

Associated Press and the Hearst Service Combined Are Unable to Injure Governor

SOUTH CAROLINA WILSON'S

Friends of Jersey Executive Controlled Southern State Convention and Won Delegates

WASHINGTON, June 1. — Despite the palpable unfairness of the Associated Press, which at first minimized and then tried to leave in doubt an overwhelming Wilson victory in Texas, which left untold in its news dispatches a victory won by Wilson in South Carolina, and which sought to give victories to Speaker Clark in its dispatches from New Hampshire and Michigan, that he did not win, Gov. Wilson got the best of the results in the more recent election of delegates to the Baltimore convention.

The Associated Press and the Hearst News Service have taken the lead in the unfair and discriminatory treatment of Gov. Wilson's candidacy in its news dispatches. Recently the Associated Press quoted the Clark leaders in Michigan as saying that 22 of the 30 delegates from that state favored Speaker Clark's nomination, yet it ignored mention of Gov. Wilson's campaign manager, who was entitled to the same consideration, and who rightly claimed one-half of the delegation. The Associated Press has sided with the allies from the very beginning. Bolder still is the Big Interest controlled Press of the east, which exploits the other candidates, and either ignores or misrepresents Gov. Wilson's candidacy.

Michigan Delegation Split.
With regard to the result in Michigan, which the Associated Press heralded as a Champ Clark victory, Joseph E. Davis, the Democratic National Committeeman from Wisconsin, who is in charge of the Western campaign for Gov. Woodrow Wilson, telegraphed to Woodrow Wilson headquarters today:

"We have half of the delegates in Michigan. The other half is probably divided between Harmon and Clark. There are no instructions and no unit rule."

The friends of Gov. Wilson were in control of the South Carolina convention and will have a solid delegation from that state to the Baltimore convention. Precedents in the history of the party were against instructions, but the following telegram from Mr. W. E. Gonzales, the editor of the Columbia State, which was received at Woodrow Wilson headquarters today, disclosed that a conclusive victory was achieved by the friends of the New Jersey Governor:

"The Wilson endorsement was carried by 241 to 97. The government of the delegation by unit was agreed upon. The delegates including the four at large are declared Wilson men. So South Carolina's delegation is Wilson's."

Wilson in New Hampshire.
That Gov. Wilson and not Speaker Clark has the delegation from New Hampshire was another bit of news received at Wilson headquarters today. A telegram from that state said:

"The entire delegation from New Hampshire to the Baltimore convention are pronounced Wilson men. The convention voted down instructions for Clark but allowed a preference vote to be taken. It was specifically understood that this vote was not binding the delegates as to favoring Clark. Without doubt New Hampshire is for Wilson and the entire delegation will work in his interest."

Confirmation of the news that Gov. Wilson won out in the Utah state convention and that he will have the support of the delegation from that state was received at Woodrow Wilson headquarters in Washington today. A telegram from Democratic State Chairman Martineau says:

"Of the sixteen delegates to Baltimore, twelve are openly declared in favor of Gov. Wilson's nomination, two are for Clark and two are as yet undecided. The application of the unit rule will give Gov. Wilson a solid delegation. The chief fight before the convention centered on the selection of a national committeeman. We won with Wallace who is a staunch Wilson man."

Clark Loses Point.

The Champ Clark people met with defeat in the democratic state convention in Tennessee yesterday, failing in their announced purpose to instruct the delegation from that state to Baltimore in favor of the candidacy of Speaker Clark. Seeing that they were defeated, the Clark people decided at the last minute not to offer the resolution for instructions. The delegation goes uninstructed, headed by Senator Luke Lea, who is one of Gov. Wilson's staunchest supporters. Gov. Wilson will have at least half of the Tennessee delegation and this number is certain to be increased before the first ballot is taken.

MINOCQUA BURNS

MINOCQUA, Wis., June 1.—Fire today destroyed the St. Paul depot, Lakeside hotel, the largest here, and an entire block of business buildings with a loss estimated at \$100,000. No one was killed or injured.

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The marriage of Miss Frances Finucian to Robert Melster of La Crosse was solemnized in St. Mary's Catholic church Tuesday morning at eight o'clock. Mrs. Melster is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Finucian of this city. She was well known in this city and was well liked by all who knew her. After the wedding trip, which extends to Milwaukee, Chicago and other points, they will return to La Crosse where they will make their home. Mr. Melster is employed as a railroad man.

The funeral of O. E. Ellefson was held from his late home on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. J. G. Smith of the Congregational church being present. All business places in the city were closed during the hour of the service.

The convention of the La Crosse

district of the Congregational churches and ministers was held in this city Tuesday and Wednesday. Many prominent speakers were here among whom were Rev. Silas Evans, president of Ripon college; President Ellen C. Sabin of the Milwaukee Downer college and the Rev. Henry Faville of La Crosse. About forty people from out of town assembled.

Presidents Evans and Sabin both gave half-hour addresses before the very school assembly. Both were very instructive, the pupils enjoying them.

Mr. F. C. Fier of Sun Prairie is a visitor here at present.

Paul Evert of Cashton is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Prof. F. C. Bray of Cashton spent Wednesday and Thursday as the guest of his brother, Prof. F. M. Bray of this city.

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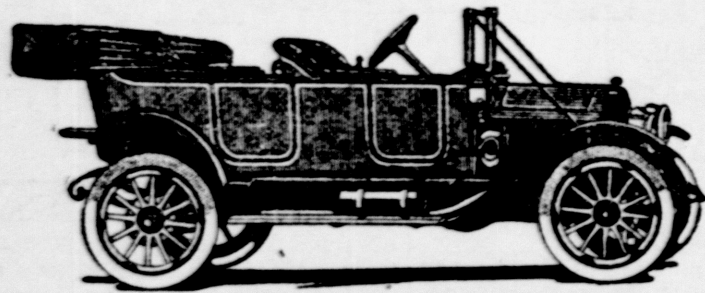
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EAU CLAIRE WINS WALKAWAY GAME

Wild Pitching Gives Bailey's Men a 13 to 2 Victory and Two Games of Series

The crippled Outcasts suffered their second defeat of the Eau Claire series yesterday afternoon when Bailey's gang beat them by the count of 13 to 2, chiefly because of the wildness of the La Crosse pitchers, as Bues and Bond walked ten men, while Benrud was hit by a stray curve. These gifts were mixed up with eight hits, including five doubles and a triple, which together with six stolen bases and a couple of errors let the leaders make a walkaway out of the combat.

Bues, the latest acquisition to the Outcasts' pitching staff, started in to do slab duty but after escaping in the first he was bombarded for nine runs in the next three rounds in which he performed. In the second he issued a pass which, with a sacrifice and Henning's double, let Benrud register the first run. He was unable to locate the part at all in the third and he grew so wild that Eau Claire scored five runs before he could gain sufficient control to retire the side. He went back again in the fourth but he couldn't find the location of the plate and at the start of the fifth Bond went on the mound to see if the game could be finished before it got dark. Bond allowed three hits and four runs during the five innings he did the hurling.

Tower, on the other hand, pitched a good game and although the Outcasts touched him up for nine singles they couldn't bunch their swats off him. In only two rounds could they score on him and one of their tallies was forced home when Tower got the habit and also got wild. Helgeson singled in the fifth after which Tower hit Du Chien and Nally, then passed Meinert, forcing Helgeson on. The other tally resulted from Larson's infield hit, Tomer's single and Bues' sacrifice fly. Brown got as far as the eighth but his team mates couldn't produce the hit to send him across the plate.

Both teams put up a good defensive game and several of the fielding plays were of the sensational order. Larson robbed McDonit of a hit in the third by jumping up and nailing a hot liner which was tabbed for a double while Meinert took a hit away from Bailey by a great running catch. Bailey picked one off his shoestrings in center which looked like a hit. Three double plays were made during the afternoon and Bond's clan made two of the double killings by fast work. One came in the second and the other in the fourth, both saving a lot of trouble.

Bues took a high aerial ascension in the third and before he got back to earth five runs were across. Kick singled with one out and Weckler's out advanced him a base. Three walks in a row forced one run home, then Bailey emptied the bags with a double. Morse's error let Russ register, then the side went out. Two hits, a pass, a hit batsman, an error and a sacrifice sent three more over in the fourth and finished Bues.

Bond fanned three batters in the fifth but they got after him in the seventh and three runs came in on Henning's triple, two walks and two errors. Bond yielded another in the ninth when Tower hit for two corners after Henning walked and stole. Score:

Eau Claire	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Kick, ss	2	2	2	0	1		
Weckler, 2b	5	0	0	4	1		
Bemis, rf	4	2	1	4	0		
Vigerust, lf	4	1	0	4	1		
Benrud, c	1	2	0	3	0		
Bailey, cf	3	1	1	5	0		
Henning, 1b	4	2	2	4	0		
McDonit, 3b	4	1	0	1	2		
Tower, p	4	1	0	1	2		
Bersing, lf	4	2	2	0	2		

Totals . . . 32 13 8 27 6 3
La Crosse . . . AB R H P O A E
Du Chien, rf-2b . 4 0 1 3 0 0

WILCE MAY BE BADGER COACH

Last Year's Athletic Director at High School May Run Football Varsity Squad

John W. Wilce, manager of athletics at Wisconsin university, and last year's athletic director at the local high school, has been recommended to the board of regents as football coach next year. The board of regents will probably consider the recommendation at its next meeting.

Wilce has received a letter of recommendation from Athletic Director Ehlers and this has been approved by President Van Hise. The regents will act upon President Van Hise's approval.

Members of the Madison Alumni association and other graduates of the university prepared a petition protesting against the selection of Mr. Wilce. One petitioner said:

"Everybody likes Jack Wilce, but we feel that he has not had enough experience for the position here. He was graduated at the university only two years ago, while he was always regarded as a valuable member of the team he is not old enough in the business to look after the squad here."

Nally, ss	3	0	1	2	3	2
Meinert, cf	4	0	0	4	1	0
Bond, 2b-p	5	0	0	2	1	0
Larson, 3b	5	1	2	2	3	0
Brown, c	3	0	1	5	1	0
Tomer, lf	4	0	1	4	1	0
Helgeson, 1b	3	1	1	5	0	0
Bues, p-2b-rf	3	0	2	0	2	1

Totals . . . 34 2 9 27 12 3
Eau Claire . . . 015200301-13
La Crosse . . . 000011000-2

Summary: Two base hits—Kick, Henning, Bailey, Bemis, Tower. Three base hits—Nally, Bailey, Weckler. Sacrifice flies—Bues, Bailey, Kick. Hits—Off Bues, 5 in four innings; off Bond, 3 in five innings. Struck out—By Tower, 5; by Bues, 1; by Bond, 4. Bases on balls—Off Bues, 6; off Bond, 4; off Tower, 3. Hit by pitcher—Du Chien, Nally, Benrud, Balk—Bues. Double plays—Tomer to Nally to Larson; Meinert to Larson to Bond; McDonit to Weckler to Henning. Time of game—2:05. Umpire—Nelson.

Winona, 8; Rochester, 2
WINONA, Minn., June 1.—The Surgeons hit Hillicker hard but perfect support kept him out of danger and Winona took the game yesterday, 8 to 2, making a clean sweep of the series. The Surgeons' fielding was poor and this aided the Pirates in their scoring. Score: R H E
Winona . . . 24200000-8 10 0
Rochester . . . 000200000-2 9 2

Batteries: Wegman, Hruska and Kelly; Hillicker and Chapman.

NORMAL PLAYERS BEAT LA FARGE

The local pedagogues put the sign on the La Farge aggregation Thursday, sticking them to the tune of 5 to 3. The game was a consistent contest, featured by the pitching of Bartels for La Crosse. He struck out eight of the opposing batters. Score by innings: R H E
La Crosse . . . 020010101-5 12 3
La Farge . . . 003000000-3 7 3

Batteries: La Crosse, Bartels and Griffin; La Farge, Gathers, Reed and Hill; umpires, Chase and Schmidt.

GRANDFATHERS TO GOLF

CHICAGO, June 1.—Fifteen grandfathers will compete today in the golf tournament at the La Grange Country club. Several of the contestants in the meet today are near eighty years of age, and many of the older ones consistently defeat their sons and grandsons. The youngest player is 51.

SPORTING NEWS

PIRATES TAKE ONE FROM REDS

Cincinnati Fails to Hit Adams' Delivery and Loses by 6 to 2 Score

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh, 6; Cincinnati 2
PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 1.—With the exception of Marsans, who made a single and a triple, Babe Adams had the Reds jumping through hoops yesterday and won for the Pirates, 6 to 2. Score: R H E
Cincinnati . . . 100001000-2 5 4
Pittsburgh . . . 03102000-6 8 2
Batteries: Fromme, Bagby and McLean; Adams and Gibson.

St. Louis, 5; New York, 1
NEW YORK, June 1.—The Cardinals put the Giants down yesterday without an effort. The score was 5 to 1, the small end representing Chief Meyers' home run drive. The score: R H E
St. Louis . . . 110000003-5 8 0
New York . . . 001000000-1 6 4
Batteries: Willis and Bresnahan; Wiltse, Tesrau and Meyers.

Brooklyn, 9-8; Boston, 3-3
BROOKLYN, June 1.—The Dodgers, in a sudden burst of speed yesterday took both sections of a double bill from Boston, winning the first game by a score of 9 to 3 and the second by 8 to 3. The Dodgers hit like fiends all afternoon, crumpling no less than five Boston twirlers. Score: R H E
First game—
Boston . . . 100000200-3 5 2
Brooklyn . . . 00060210-9 10 3
Batteries: Hogg, Dickson, Metzger, Kling and Gowdy; Yingling and Erwin.

Second game—
Boston . . . 020000001-3 8 3
Brooklyn . . . 30001301-8 14 2
Batteries: Brown, Donnelly and Gowdy; Ragon, Rucker and Erwin.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Louis, 9; Detroit, 1
ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 1.—The Browns captured the final game of the series from the Tigers, 9 to 1. Jack Powell held the Tigers to six hits, and at no time after the first inning was he in danger. Score: R H E
Detroit . . . 100000000-1 6 1
St. Louis . . . 00202005-9 14 0

Batteries: Willett, Works and Stange; Powell, Stephens and Krichell.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Kansas City, 5; Milwaukee, 4
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 1.—After the Brewers had the game won up to the last round, they played poor ball, the Blues making four runs and winning out. Score: R H E
Kansas City . . . 000000014-5 7 1
Milwaukee . . . 300000001-4 7 4

Batteries: Gallia, Flene and O'Connor; Hovik, Cutting and Schaik.

COLUMBUS, 6; LOUISVILLE, 2

COLUMBUS, O., June 1.—Although the Senators booted the ball behind Packard, he pitched them to victory, allowing the Colonels seven hits and winning, 6 to 2. Score: R H E
Louisville . . . 000000110-2 7 3
Columbus . . . 10100220-6 10 5

Batteries: Richter and Spencer; Packard and Smith.

TOLEDO, 8; INDIANAPOLIS, 5

TOLEDO, O., June 1.—Vic Schlitzler was roundly trounced by Toledo yesterday and the Indians lost, 8 to 5. Score: R H E
Indianapolis . . . 101210000-5 8 3
Toledo . . . 30201020-8 12 2

Batteries: Schlitzler and Casey; L. James and Carlisch.

SEVEN SCHOOLS IN FIELD MEET FINALS

PHILADELPHIA, June 1.—With Pennsylvania, Cornell, Michigan, Harvard, Columbia, Yale and Dartmouth in line to win the intercollegiate track and field championship as the result of yesterday's tryouts, the final contests scheduled for today promised to bring out the hardest competition in years. The Quakers with thirteen representatives in the finals were picked to win, although Cornell, a sure winner in the one, and the two mile runs besides having seven strong men in the finals, was sure to fight it out for first honors.

Russell Beatty of Columbia, by hurling the iron ball 47 feet, 14 inches, with ease, has the final shot put contest clinched. With five men tied in the pole vault at the height of 12 feet, 4 1/2 inches, today's winner may divide the honor. Babcock of Columbia is the favorite. Michigan's septet in the finals are expected to give a good account of themselves. Yale's showing in the tryouts surprised the most sanguine Eli supporters and with eight men in the finals Yale may yet land high up among the honors. Today was another ideal day for the meet.

DAWSON TO DRIVE NATIONAL MACHINE

CHICAGO, June 1.—Joe Dawson, winner of the 500 mile race at Indianapolis Thursday, will be seen at Hawthorne track in the race meet on June 8 and 9. It was announced today that the youthful racer had signed a contract to pilot the winning National car in open events and exhibition races. In addition to Dawson several other noted drivers will be seen, including Wild Bill Endicott and Hughie Hughes. Barney Oldfield also may race.

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Chicago	19	17	.528
Pittsburgh	18	17	.514
St. Louis	20	22	.476
Philadelphia	14	19	.424
Brooklyn	12	22	.353
Boston	13	26	.333

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	28	12	.700
Boston	25	13	.658
Philadelphia	17	16	.515
Detroit	20	20	.500
Cleveland	17	19	.472
Washington	18	21	.462
New York	12	22	.353
St. Louis	12	26	.316

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Columbus	29	17	.630
Minneapolis	27	16	.628
Toledo	27	16	.628
Kansas City	25	21	.543
St. Paul	20	26	.435
Milwaukee	16	26	.381
Indianapolis	17	28	.378
Louisville	15	26	.366

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Wausau	17	9	.654
Oshkosh	15	9	.625
Appleton	14	9	.607
Green Bay	13	11	.542
Madison	11	15	.423
Aurora	9	14	.391
Racine	9	14	.391
Rockford	9	15	.360

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Minny League
Eau Claire, 13; La Crosse, 2.
Winona, 8; Rochester, 2.

National League
Philadelphia, 6; Cincinnati, 2.
St. Louis, 6; New York, 1.
Brooklyn, 9-8; Boston, 3-3.

American League
St. Louis, 9; Detroit, 1.
No other games scheduled.

American Association
Kansas City, 5; Milwaukee, 4.
Toledo, 8; Indianapolis, 5.
Columbus, 6; Louisville, 2.
Minneapolis-St. Paul, wet grounds.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Wausau, 14; Wausau, 11.
Appleton, 4; Oshkosh, 3.
Racine, 2; Aurora, 0.
Madison, 3; Rockford, 2.

GAMES TODAY
Minny League
La Crosse at Winona.
Eau Claire at Rochester.

National League
Chicago at Boston.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

American League
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Detroit.
Boston at Cleveland.
Washington at St. Louis.

American Association
Milwaukee at Kansas City.
St. Paul at Minneapolis.
Louisville at Columbus.
Indianapolis at Toledo.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Rockford at Madison.
Aurora at Racine.
Oshkosh at Appleton.
Wausau at Green Bay.

WOLGAST HAS DRAW WITH YOUNG O'BRIEN

PHILADELPHIA, June 1.—Experts are divided on last night's six round bout between Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion, and Young Jack O'Brien of this city. The average judgment gives the Cadillac fighter a good draw. O'Brien did all the leading, and outfigured the champion even after being dropped for the count by a stiff left hand hook to the jaw in the second round, but the knockdown gave Wolgast a big lead that was not entirely overcome. The champion showed flashes of his old time form.

CONFERENCE MEET TODAY

LA FAYETTE, Ind., June 1.—Twenty-three universities and colleges are prepared to battle here this afternoon for the premier field and track honors of the annual meet of the Western conference. California and Missouri looked strong for first honors, with Illinois close up, in the opinion of track experts.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

As one fan remarked, if the Giants won 'em all it would put the league on the fritz.

Smiling Joe Willis, a young southpaw of class, stopped the Giants after they had won nine straight.

Bobby Wallace tried out Willis for a while last season, but canned him. Another reason why the Browns are in last place.

If they had to lose, the Giants were glad that Roger Bresnahan's Cardinals did the trick.

The lowly Dodgers turned and took two games from the Boston Braves, thereby crawling out of last place. Dropping the seventh straight game, the Reds looked sheepish alongside the Pirates, Cole, formerly of Chicago, was in a Pittsburgh uniform.

Powell's twirling against the Tigers featured the only game in the American league, Cobb's triple in the first frame scored Detroit's only run.

George Burns, who has made seven hits for the Giants in ten pinches, did not "come across yesterday."

A peek at the Pirates' lineup discloses unfamiliar names.
Nap Rucker relieved Ragon when he was tottering and the way the sterling southpaw mowed down the Braves brought joy to Bill Dahlen's heart. "It's the come back punch," said the Superba's manager.

DR. J. W. LAWRENCE SELLS HIS PRACTICE

Dr. J. W. Lawrence, the dentist, has sold his office in the Barron building and practice to Dr. P. C. Curran, formerly of Melrose, Wis. Dr. Curran is not a stranger in La Crosse, having been very active in dental society circles here, and comes well recommended by other dentists in this district. Dr. Lawrence will take a rest for a while, and will move west in the fall to accept a good position in a dental office in Seattle, Wash.

O. K. TEAM WINS EASY GAME 16 TO 4

The O. K. baseball team defeated the Q. Kids of the north side in a one sided game yesterday by the count of 16 to 4. During the first four innings the game was close and hard fought but in the fifth the O. K.'s made four tallies and they added nine more in the last four frames, thus making a runaway out of the combat. Score: O. K.'s . . . 210042304-16
Q. Kids . . . 110001100-4
Batteries: Becker and Weeks; Riley and Riley.

VIOLA HANDS NORMAL NINE 18 TO 5 DEFEAT

The local normal school baseball team lost to the Viola town team at Viola yesterday by the score of 18 to 5. Viola had little trouble in winning the game, as they had a good lead at all times. Loveless, Baldwin and Hill were the battery for Viola while Allen and Bartle pitched for the normal school and Griffin was behind the bat.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

By order of Major C. Keller, Corps of engineers, U. S. A., a public meeting will be held at the Dousman House, Prairie du Chien, Wis., June 12th, 1912, at 10 a. m., to hear any objections to proposed reduction in length of the draw of pontoon bridge at Prairie du Chien, by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway company.

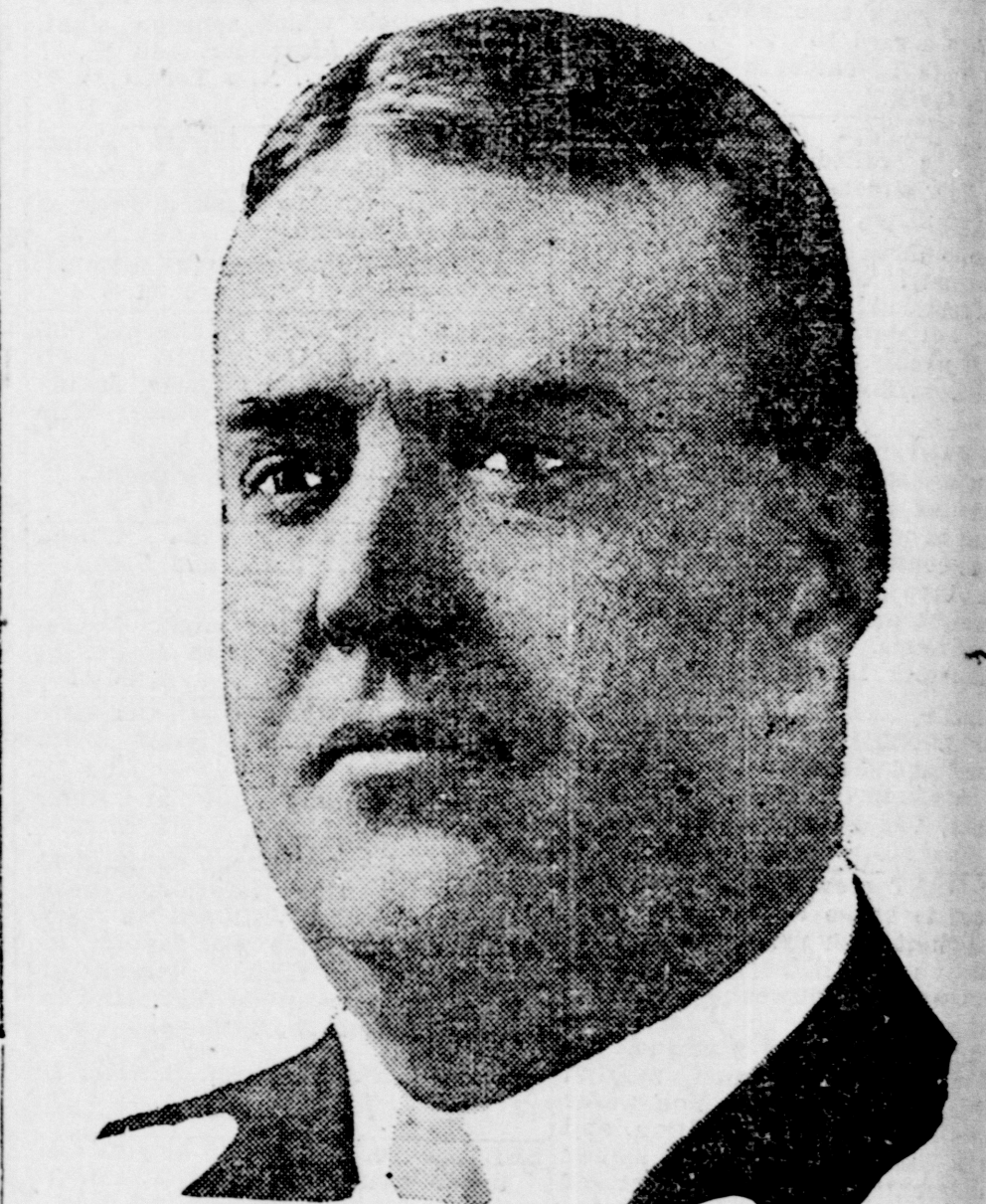
FRED TENNEY RETIRES

LYNN, Mass., June 1.—Permanently retiring from baseball, Fred Tenney, last year's manager of the Boston Nationals and former first baseman of the New York Giants, has entered the shoe manufacturing business in this city.

GIANTS TRY THIN MAN

NEW YORK, June 1.—The thinnest thing in a baseball uniform practiced with the Giants today. His name is Ernest Shore of Girard college, North Carolina. His front elevation is six feet, three inches, weight about 110 pounds.

JOHNSON, AMERICAN LEAGUE BOSS, SAYS HE'LL BROOK NO INSUBORDINATION



Ban Johnson.

Ban Johnson is a bigger boss than ever, now that he has taken a firm stand in regard to the expression of the strike of the Detroit ball players following the Ty Cobb suspension. Ban is often called harsh and arbitrary, but no one can deny he has backbone. During the life of the American league he has never backed down nor lost a fight.

PASTORS IN TROUBLE MAYOR MUST SERVE

ONE QUILTS THE CHURCH IN SHAME, AND THE OTHER IS CONVICTED BY POLICE JUDGE

MINNEAPOLIS, June 1.—The Methodist Episcopal quadrennial conference, just closed in Minneapolis, spelled exposure and shame for a minister of the gospel who came as a delegate from Kokomo, Ind., and a former New York minister who came to sell literature to the delegates. The Kokomo pastor—Rev. Dr. C. C. Cissell, superintendent of the Logansport district of the church—admitting "unseemly" conduct with a woman in Minneapolis, has resigned his charge and will unrock himself. Word to this effect has reached here from his home in Kokomo.

Cooper Sent to Workhouse
The other man—R. T. Cooper, formerly pastor of a Methodist church in Lyons, N. Y.—was convicted today in the Minneapolis police court on a statutory charge and sentenced by Judge Leary to serve thirty days in the workhouse.

Not One Excusing Feature
Not one excusing feature in the movement of the Cass Lake mayor is contained in the opinion of the court written by Chief Justice Start. On the other hand, the contention of the state in every particular is sustained and the defendant is censured for the part he played. Dr. Dumas made his defense on the ground that even if all the state's claims were true, that he was not guilty of attempted arson, because the act of burning the Puposky store and robbing the safe was not completed.

Does the grass widow regard matrimony as a lawn mower?

DAYTON SUSPENDS WORK
DAYTON, O., June